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Businesses annexed Pontoon Beach officials oppose move

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

Two parcels of commercial property located on Illinois 162 in unincorporated Nameoki Township were annexed into Granite City Monday night, against the wishes of officials of Pontoon Beach and the Long Lake Fire Protection District.

But Granite City Mayor Ron Selph said both parcels were annexed at the request of the property owners.

The annexations of Lakeview Driving Range and Batting Cages, 3519 Illinois 162, and Lindsay Construction Co., 3308 Illinois 162, were approved unanimously by the Granite City Council at a special meeting Monday.

Pontoon Beach had planned to annex the property Tuesday night, but Granite City apparently beat the village to the punch.

Marvin Ribbing, president of the Long Lake Fire Protection District's board of trustees, and Mike Macek, a trustee of the Pontoon Beach village board, both attended the special council meeting Monday, but neither had obtained permission to speak under the conditions of the city's decorum ordinance.

After the meeting, Ribbing said fire district officials are concerned about the erosion of the district's property tax base and about the safety of the businesses.

"We very much hate to see any property lost — especially property that will be cut off from the city's fire stations" by trains," Ribbing said.



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESI)

The Lakeview Driving Range and Batting Cages on Illinois 162 was the target of annexation efforts by both Granite City and Pontoon Beach.

The LLFPD relies on property taxes for funds to provide service. Both of the annexed parcels are located in unincorporated Nameoki Township, just east of the railroad tracks on Illinois 162.

Both received police protection from the Madison County Sheriff's Department and were located in the Long Lake Fire Protection District until annexed into the city.

The city will now provide police and fire protection to the property as a result of the annexation.

Dr. Al Triani, owner of the driving range property, declined to comment on the matter.

But a pre-annexation agreement between the city and Triani,

approved at the special meeting, calls for the city to negotiate with Illinois Power Co. on behalf of Triani to secure a gas main installation on the north side of Illinois 162; states that city police officers will periodically visit the property to provide a secure atmosphere; requires the city to periodically spray for insects during the summer; and calls for the city to prepare plans, specifications and contract documents to secure a highway access permit from the Illinois Department of Transportation.

The driving range currently has a gravel driveway that often washes

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(Staff photo by JOHN FRESI)

Big trike — Steven Wright, 7, rides an adult-sized tricycle belonging to his aunt, Kathy Affelter, down the street in front of his house in Pontoon Beach while enjoying an Indian summer afternoon.

Madison seeks removal from list

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

A petition to the Illinois State Board of Education to remove the Madison School District from the state's certified watch list was approved by the school board Thursday.

Superintendent Gary Allison told the board that the district had fulfilled all the requirements to be taken off the list, and that members should be "very proud" of that accomplishment.

In September the board approved a balanced budget for the 1996-1997 school year. According to the budget, the district should have an ending balance of about \$600,000 in all funds at the end of the year.

The board has also accepted and approved an audit of the previous year's books. The budget and audit were the final two requirements the district had to meet to be eligible to be taken off the list.

The state requires the four major funds to be in the black and an overall ending fund balance of five percent of the total revenue

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U.S. Rep. Dick Durbin addresses the crowd at the annual JFK Champaign Dinner Thursday night in Collinsville with John F. Kennedy's portrait behind him.

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Democrats seek reversal

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

The future of the entire nation could rest squarely on the shoulders of Madison County voters, Democrats say.

While that assertion may be a slight stretch, it was the message hammered home at the annual John F. Kennedy Champaign Dinner, hosted by the Madison County Democratic Party at the Gateway Convention Center in Collinsville Thursday night.

"The Madison County Democratic Party has led this state time and time again," said U.S. Rep. Dick Durbin, D-Springfield, who is running Nov. 5 against Republican Al Salvi for the seat of retiring U.S. Sen. Paul Simon.

"We're in a tight election to determine (which party) will control the House of Representatives," U.S. Rep. Jerry Costello, D-Bellefonte, told the crowd of more than 550 attendees.

Democrats are hoping they will be more successful in the

Mrs. Dole in area, 3A

Nov. 5 election than the St. Louis Cardinals were Thursday night.

"This election is going to be decided in Madison County," said State Rep. Jay Hoffman, D-Collinsville, who faces a strong challenge from Madison County treasurer John Shimkus, a Collinsville Republican, for Durbin's seat in the house.

"The first vote I'll cast is for Dick Gephardt (D-St. Louis) for speaker of the House," Hoffman said.

Democrats are trying to regain control of Congress. As a result of success of the GOP in the 1994 elections, both houses have been dominated by Republican majorities for the first time in 40 years.

Durbin said his party learned a lesson from the GOP success two years ago.

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U.S. Rep. Jerry Costello, at right, addresses the crowd at the annual JFK Champaign Dinner Thursday night in Collinsville. At left, State Rep. Jay Hoffman makes a point during his speech in Collinsville.

•Reversal

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evidence that we as Democrats got the message — that we understood the 1994 election," Durbin said. "We've got the message this year and we need the messengers."

"That message, according to Durbin, is the Democrats' own version of 'family values' — good jobs paying fair wages, safety from dangerous criminals, contin-

ued financial aid for college students and Medicare benefits for the elderly, and welfare-to-work programs.

Durbin, who had debated Salvi earlier Thursday at Principia College in Elmhurst, claimed that Republican candidates are distancing themselves from House Speaker Newt Gingrich — the man who led the GOP revolution two years ago.

Costello said the Democratic leadership in the White House and in both houses of Congress can take the country in the right

direction.

"We have a president that has a record we can all be proud of. We have a president that has a vision and plan to take us into the 21st Century," Costello said.

But that will only happen if Democrats avoid complacency and overconfidence and get out and vote, Durbin said.

"The worst thing that could happen is for Democrats to look at the polls and the comfortable lead President Clinton has and say, 'We don't need to vote,'" Durbin said.

Man faces DUI charge

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

A Granite City man was arrested Oct. 11 by Madison police for driving under the influence of alcohol and other traffic-related charges.

William L. Black III, 22, of the 5100 block of Buena Drive, Granite City, was charged with two counts of DUI, improper lane usage and operating an uninsured motor vehicle after being pulled over in the 2000 block of Edwardsville Road at about 9 a.m. Friday.

According to reports, Madison police were notified by the Illinois State Police that a U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms agent was following a possible drunken driver on Illinois 203.

A Madison police officer started following the vehicle at the intersection of Fifth and McCambridge, and before attempting to pull the driver over allegedly observed the vehicle cross the center line several times.

The officer attempted to pull

the vehicle over, but the driver continued for about five blocks, finally stopping in the 2000 block of Edwardsville Road. Reports said the officer noticed a strong smell of alcohol, and when Black got out of the vehicle he allegedly had trouble keeping his balance.

According to reports, Black was unable to perform a field sobriety test. At the Madison police station Black's blood-alcohol level was tested at .25.

In an incident Saturday, Christopher Freeman, 27, of Granger Homes, Madison, was charged with driving with a suspended license and resisting arrest after he was pulled over for speeding on Illinois 203.

According to reports, an officer on patrol observed Freeman's truck speeding on Illinois 203 near Eagle Park Road.

When pulled over, Freeman allegedly became abusive.

While being handcuffed he allegedly tried to push away from the officer.

He was released on a notice to appear.

ROTC students set to battle fellow cadets

Army ROTC students at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville plan to battle fellow cadets from 20 other colleges and universities to determine who has the best military skills.

Maj. Steve Greenberg, professor of military science at SIUE, said 10 cadets from the Reserve Officer Training Corps will compete in the Ranger Challenge Competition Oct. 25-27 in Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

It is the third time cadets from SIUE have participated in the annual event.

The cadets will participate in eight events — taking the Army Physical Fitness Test, building and disassembling a rope bridge, orienteering, weapon assembly, grenade assault course, M16 weapon qualification, a 10-kilometer road march and night patrolling.

Greenberg said the troop is being trained by Sgt. 1st Class Ken Tesker, team captain is cadet William Thompson. Other members of the team are Chris Thoendel, Joel Ferris, Dominic Robatella, Arthur Nowell, Matt Sims, Chris Kubicek, Jose Perez, Steven Miller and Axel Jimenez.

The intense relays test mental and physical ability, reactions under pressure and military knowledge, Greenberg said. Among schools expected to be in the competition are Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, Washington University and 17 other institutions in Arkansas, Missouri and Illinois.

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An annexation worries county

Landfill expansion planned?

Annexation of the Chain of Rocks landfill on Chouteau Island by the City of Madison worries county officials, but there is apparently little they can do about it.

Madison annexed about 700 acres, including the landfill owned by Waste Management Inc. and the Chain of Rocks Bridge. The area formerly was unincorporated county land.

The annexation means that Madison, not the county, will have jurisdiction over approving any future expansion of the landfill prior to review by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency. Waste Management company officials have said they do not plan to expand the landfill, but some County Board members are not convinced.

"I would hate to see that we would bless the 21st Century with (more) landfill in the middle of the Mississippi River," said board member Don Garrett, D-Madison. "It would be our Three Mile Island."

Board member Dick Worthen, D-Alton and chairman of the Environmental Control Committee, said he would stay abreast of developments in the situation.

Worthen said he is convinced there would be an application for a new landfill or landfill expansion.

Madison officials maintain that they annexed the area simply to gain access to the bridge for plans by Gateway Trailnet to reopen it for a hiking and biking trail.

Joe Parente, director of the Building, Zoning and Environmental Department, said the Chain of Rocks landfill probably will reach capacity in five to seven years under its current permit.

Parente said he does not believe the IEPA would approve horizontal expansion of the landfill but may allow Waste Management to add more landfill on top. Chouteau Island is largely made up of floodplain and sloughs.

The annexation was made possible earlier this year by special legislation sponsored by state Sen. Evelyn Bowles, D-Edwardsville. The legislation allowed the city to skip over federal land on Chouteau Island to reach the bridge and the landfill.

The property is located more than five miles away from the city of Madison proper — and police and fire stations. Prior to the Madison annexation, the property was located in the Mitchell Fire Protection District — with a Mitchell fire station located less than two miles from the bridge.

Madison is in the process of negotiating a long-term lease for the bridge with Gateway Trailnet, the not-for-profit land trust attempting to turn the bridge into a bike trail.

— From The Telegraph

Pumpkin still not found

If you are a shrewd detective and careful reader, you can still win \$250 in the Granite City Journal "Great Pumpkin" contest.

With just a little more than a week to go, nobody has claimed the prize.

Bob Slate, city editor, has hidden a pumpkin somewhere in the Tri-Cities area. Each Wednesday this month, a clue about the pumpkin's location has appeared in a special advertising section of the Journal. Another clue appears in today's issue and the final clue will appear Oct. 30 (unless the pumpkin is claimed before then).

The lucky person who finds it and brings it to the newspaper office, 1815 Delmar Ave. in downtown Granite City, will receive \$250.

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Gateway seeks delay in entertainment tax

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

Gateway International Raceway and Madison city officials plan to meet in the next few weeks to negotiate on several issues in the development of the raceway, including an entertainment tax.

Much of the discussion at a meeting of the city's Finance and Tax Increment Financing committee Friday centered on the entertainment tax.

If approved by the full council, such a tax would probably take the form of a \$1 surcharge per ticket, city officials said. Proceeds from

the tax would go into the general fund, which pays for most of the city's day-to-day expenses.

The tax would generate several hundred thousand dollars for the city.

Construction at the raceway has been accelerated to accommodate a major IndyCar race on Memorial Day weekend.

So far two major events — the IndyCar race and the National Hot Rod Association's Craftsman Nationals — have been scheduled for the coming year.

Studies said the raceway could attract as many as 500,000 race fans and have a huge economic impact in the entire St. Louis region.

At Friday's meeting, Christopher Pook of the

Grand Prix Association of Long Beach, the owner of Gateway International, asked for a three-year delay before the city starts levying such a tax.

"We certainly want Madison and the residents of Madison...to benefit from what we're doing, and we understand (you) have absolutely every right to put in an entertainment tax," he said. "What I am asking you, however, is that you give us a certain amount of time to get this business up and running before you put this tax in."

"So what I'm asking you to do is recognize there is a great importance in the relationship between ourselves and the city of Madison and

ask you to give us at least three years to get the business up and running and functioning in an effective manner before you put an entertainment tax in," Pook said.

Pook and Rod Weller, general manager of the racetrack, said they have had a number of unexpected expenses in construction, including sewer and relocating a gas line.

Aldermen expressed reservations about delaying the tax, but agreed to meet with Gateway representatives in the next few weeks to discuss the tax and other issues.

That could include using part of the city's portion of tax increment financing funds on some of the projects.

Elizabeth Dole leads cheers

By Nicole Vaughn
Staff writer

Former U.S. senator and presidential candidate Bob Dole didn't come to Collinsville himself Saturday, but the city played host to his biggest cheerleader, his wife.

Elizabeth Dole spent nearly an hour telling a crowd of about 400 gathered at Gateway Center just why her husband should be the next U.S. president.

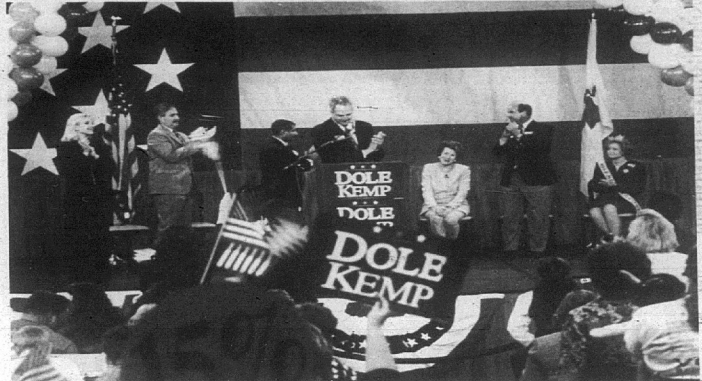
The visit was sponsored by the Illinois Dole-Kemp Campaign and state and county Republican groups.

Speakers before Dole's speech included Madison County Treasurer John Shimkus of Collinsville, Mario Garcia of Belleville, and Frank Watson of Greenville, all Republican candidates in next month's election.

Dole focused on her husband's proposed 15 percent tax cut for families plus \$500 per child deduction.

"The average worker spends three of every eight hours working to pay taxes," Dole said. "That's not right, is it?" She described Bob Dole as a candidate friendly to both farmers and the environment. Dole said her husband has backed nine different farm bills, including one he authored in 1985.

Dole said her husband would restore the home office tax deduction which would allow parents who work at home to



Following her speech, Elizabeth Dole receives applause. An interpreter for the deaf is shown at left on stage. The others, in order, are Rep. Tom Ryder, R-Jerseyville; Mario Garcia of Belleville, Republican candidate in the 112th District; Madison County Treasurer John Shimkus of Collinsville, Republican candidate in the 20th District for U.S. representative; state Sen. Frank Watson, R-Greenville; and April Street of Collinsville, Miss Metro East 1997.

not only deduct expenses but to contribute to their own Individual Retirement Account.

"It would take care of the spouse with the most important career of all: homemaker, mother and volunteer," Dole said.

She also wasted no time lambasting President Bill Clinton. Dole said that the health care plan backed by Clinton earlier in his administration would have resulted in 14 to 17 percent increases in payroll taxes and would have created 17 additional taxes.

She took Clinton to task for an appearance on MTV in which, tongue in cheek, he said that given the chance to do it over, he would have inhaled when smoking marijuana. During his 1992 campaign, Clinton said he had smoked marijuana but hadn't inhaled.

Dole said his comment on (See DOLE, Page 6A)



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Elizabeth Dole talks to the audience about taxes.

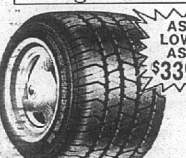
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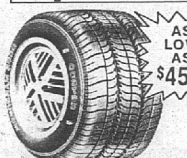
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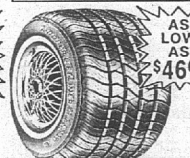
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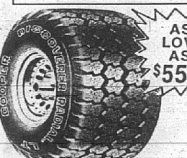
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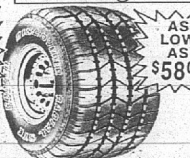
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LOCAL NEWS

Durbin, Salvi square off Senate hopefuls trade zingers

ELSAH — U.S. Senate contenders Richard Durbin and Al Salvi traded rapid-fire barbs Thursday during a lively debate on the picturesque Principia College campus.

The candidates, vying for the seat being vacated by Sen. Paul Simon, delighted the audience of about 1,200, lifting zingers from campaign advertisements while usually sticking to party lines.

"I pledge never to vote to raise taxes," said Republican Salvi, who called Durbin a big "tax and spend" politician.

"The problem is we are not taxed too little but the government spends too much money," Salvi said. "We are spending ourselves into oblivion."

"You've never voted no on a major tax increase," Salvi told Durbin.

Durbin, Democratic U.S. representative, said Salvi was mistaken: "It is a classic cliché thrown against every Democrat."

Referring to former President Bush's failed promise, Durbin asked, "Did I hear Mr. Salvi say, 'Read my lips, no new taxes'? We've been down this road before."

Salvi continuously said the federal budget must be balanced, calling the deficit "the father of all issues."

Durbin, however, said it is more important to let the expanding economy under President Clinton's leadership spawn more jobs, while the deficit shrinks and the wealthy pay a bigger share of taxes.

"There are a lot of young people here who will take cold comfort in a few years if we have a balanced budget and they can't find jobs," Durbin said.

Durbin also assailed Salvi's campaign donations from tobacco lobbyists.

"The tobacco industry has given him more money than any other new senatorial candidate. They are not giving him money because tobacco is grown in Illinois, but because Dick Durbin is grown in Illinois," Durbin said.

He attacked Salvi's pro-gun stance and connections with the National Rifle Association.

"You can't run, and you can't hide. You are the favorite lap dog of the gun lobby. You have consistently voted their

agenda," he said of Salvi's years in the Illinois House of Representatives.

Salvi said he was a "moderate" on gun issues and has voted for and against NRA platforms.

"Law-abiding citizens should be allowed to keep and bear reasonable arms," Salvi said. "I strongly support legislation against the sale of automatic and machine guns. I want to send criminals to prison for the rest of their lives or a minimum of 20 years if they possess an automatic or machine gun."

"I also want to make sure firearms can't be converted into automatic weapons."

"I don't see how disarming victims is going to stop criminals."

Durbin said he has stood up "against the NRA" and supports "sensible" gun control.

"When you say 'reasonable firearms,' I challenge you to say with victims' families and ask them which firearms are reasonable."

— From the Alton Telegraph

Holbrook plans office hours

State Rep. Tom Holbrook, D-Belleview, will hold open office hours at his Granite City office, 1310 Niedringhaus Ave., from 10 to 11:30 a.m. tomorrow, Thursday.

Anyone may stop in at that time to discuss issues with Holbrook or to solicit his assistance.



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"Supporting teachers is another way Illinois Power can demonstrate its commitment to education," said Sharon Durbin, an IP customer relations manager. "Providing \$100 grants to teachers for special projects and needs in the classroom is a program IP is proud to sponsor."

Illinois Power created the classroom grant program in 1992 based on a suggestion from teachers in the Metro East.

In 1995, Illinois Power received more than 1,500 applications from across the state and awarded 330 grants.

Previous winners have used the money to help pay for items such as lab equipment, books, computer software and electronic spellers.

The utility has mailed appli-


cations for 1996 IP classroom grants to school principals.

Applications from all area communities must be received by Illinois Power's corporate headquarters office by the close of the business day Oct. 31.

Address entries to: Classroom Grants, Public Affairs, 500 S. 27th St., Decatur, Ill., 62525.



Sticker — Secretary Vincine Zerlan, right, presented Junior Past President Joanna Spencer with her "No-Goose Egg" poster for 1995-1996 year at the August meeting. The stickers are given for membership each month. Spencer has a sticker for each month.



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Penas

By Martin Richter
Staff writer

As he surveyed area dignitaries at the Belleville Area Community Center, State Rep. Tom Holbrook said with a crowd, just bring it on.

U.S. Secretary of Transportation F. I. did just that on Thursday, traveling to Belleville over a \$39.7 million federal funding for construction of the extension of the light rail system from Area College, and check for the purchase of additional light rail cars.

Administrator G. also signed a full agreement for the of the Metrolink BAC. The agreement the federal government \$243,890,961 in capital funds, or 72 percent project's cost of \$335,258,895, will cover half-cent sales tax overwhelmingly

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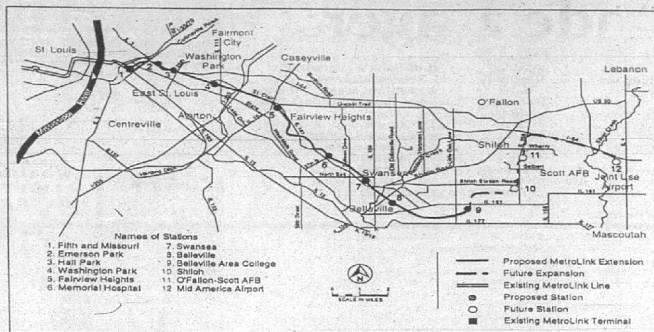
By Martin Richter
Staff writer

As he surveyed the 200 or so area dignitaries milling around Belleville Area College's varsity gym on Thursday, State Rep. Tom Holbrook ventured an observation.

"If you want to draw a crowd, just bring \$50 million," Holbrook said with a smile.

U.S. Secretary of Transportation Federico Pena did just that on Thursday, traveling to Belleville to sign over a \$39.7 million check that was the first installment of federal funding for construction of the 17.4-mile extension of the MetroLink light rail system to Belleville Area College, and a \$10 million check for the purchase of four additional light rail cars.

Pena and Federal Transit Administrator Gordon Linton also signed a full funding grant agreement for the construction of the MetroLink extension to BAC. The agreement commits the federal government to \$249,930,981 in capital new start funds, or 72 percent of the project's cost of \$339 million. The other 28 percent, \$95,238,895, will come from a half-cent sales tax overwhelmingly approved by



St. Clair County Transit District voters in November 1993. The county Transit District will also fund operating costs for the extension.

Groundbreaking for construction of the rail extension is slated for March 1998, and construction is expected to be completed in spring of 2001. Service on the extension is scheduled to begin in September of that year. The extension will begin at MetroLink's current eastern

terminus at Fifth and Missouri in East St. Louis, and extend the rails to BAC's Belleville campus. In between, there will be seven new stops: at Hall Park in East St. Louis, in Washington Park, in Fairview Heights, at Belleville's Memorial Hospital, in Swansea and at Scheel Street near Clay Street in Belleville.

There also will be seven new park-and-ride lots with about 3,500 parking spaces. Plans are still to eventually extend the MetroLink rails another nine miles to the new Mid America Airport, with additional stations in Shiloh and O'Fallon-Scott Air Force Base.

Michael Buehlhorn chaired the St. Clair County Transit District's Station Area Committee, and also is mayor of Swansea, which is getting a stop west of Illinois 159, near Fullerton Road. Following the ceremonial signing of the full funding agreement, he could barely contain his enthusiasm. "I'm in love with this. I don't know how else to put it," Buehlhorn said. "It's just incredible how much this means to the county."

Buehlhorn said the village of Swansea, like other communities along the route, already has been contacted by developers interested in locating near the new station. "This is probably the biggest injection of capital that's going to hit this county for years," he said. "People are going to be looking at these station sites for investing in St. Clair County."

County Board Chairman John Baricovic also was in high spirits. After voters passed the half-cent sales tax to provide local funding, it became a matter of "only when, not if," the extension would happen. "It ties us to the (St. Louis Metropolitan) region," Baricovic said. "Regional transportation is becoming more and more MetroLink, and St. Clair County is a part of that. This shows how important this county is."



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Obituaries

William Wisdom

William E. Wisdom, 66, of Glen Carbon died Sunday, Oct. 20, at Scott's Air Force Base Medical Center in Shiloh Valley Township.

Mr. Wisdom was a mechanic at Midwest Rubber Reclaiming for 13 years and retired from the U.S. Army after 20 years of service.

He was preceded in death by his parents, William Roe and Maude Parthey (Montgomery) Wisdom; his wife, Dorothy Delores (Gilbert) Wisdom; three brothers, Johnny, Memphis and Roy Wisdom; and four sisters, Irene Magillo, Cella Morris, Gerie Schiele and Janitta Laughlin.

Survivors include two sons, William Glen Wisdom of Villa Grove, Ill., and Gary Wisdom of Granite City; a daughter, Gayle Wisdom of Alexandria, Va.; two brothers, Ray Wisdom of Poplar Bluff, Mo., and Dean Wisdom of Marissa; his friend, Rose E. Garber; and three grandchildren.

Visitation will be held from 10 a.m. to 12 noon Thursday, Oct. 24, at Schickel Funeral Home, 301 S. Lincoln, O'Fallon. Services will begin at 12 noon. Following the visitation, burial will be in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, St. Louis.

Memorials are suggested to the Humane Society.

Robert Riggs

Robert Eugene Riggs, 68, of Mitchell died at 11:50 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 19, 1996, at his residence after a 3 1/2 year illness. He was born Oct. 24, 1927, in Tamm, Ill., and moved to this area in 1962.

Mr. Riggs was employed by Allstate Insurance in Fairview Heights for 17 years as an agent before retiring in 1978. He was a World War II Navy veteran; a member of St. Elizabeth Catholic Church, Elks Lodge #1083, and Eagles Home #1126 all in Granite City, and the American Legion in East Alton.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ira and Elizabeth (Martin) Riggs.

Survivors include his wife, Ellen E. (Hutton) Riggs; a daughter, Joyce Johnson of Granite City; two sons, Dennis Riggs of Granite City and Kevin Michael Riggs of Carverville, Ill.; two brothers, Otis Riggs of East Alton and Floyd Riggs of Las Vegas, Nev.; and 5 grandchildren.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. today, Wednesday, Oct. 23, at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church, 2301 Pontoon Road, Granite City with the Revs. Bob Jallas and Francis Tebangu officiating. Burial will be in Rose Lawn Cemetery in Bethalto.

Memorials are suggested in the form of Masses.

Arrangements were handled by Irwin Memorial Chapel, 3960 Maryville, Granite City.

Betty Brown

Betty Jo (McWilliams) Brown, 66, of Granite City, died at 8:47 a.m. Monday, Oct. 21, 1996, in the emergency room at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. She was born Dec. 10, 1929, in Poolville, Texas.

Mrs. Brown was employed as a clerk-typist at Raccoon Valley Sonic Service Station, State Park, Granite City, for 18 years.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 39 years, Fred Brown, whom she married Nov. 5, 1946; and her parents, W.B. and Lillian Barneico (Rainey) McWilliams.

Survivors include her daughter, Linda L. Nolan of Granite City; two sons, Billy B. Brown of Granite City and Carroll E. Brown of Colorado Springs, Colo.; three brothers, Kenneth, Jimmy, and Harold McWilliams, all of Mesa, Ariz.; 9 grandchildren and 1 grandchild.

Visitation will be held from 4-8 p.m. today, Wednesday, Oct. 23, at Thomas Chapel, 2205 Pontoon Road, Granite City. Services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at Thomas Chapel with the Rev. David Tyler officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to the Diabetes Association.

Carolyn Coffman

Carolyn Sue Coffman, 42, of Las Vegas, Nev., formerly of Granite City, died Monday, Oct. 14, 1996, in Las Vegas. She was born July 20, 1954, in Granite City.

She was preceded in death by her father, Ronald Coffman; her paternal grandparents, Fred and Mary Coffman; and her mother, Lillian Smock.

Survivors include her mother, Betty Dowdy of Pontoon, Hurst, Texas; one brother, Mark Coffman of Irving, Texas; and one sister, Mary Johnson of Milwaukee, Wis.

A memorial service will be held at a later date at St. Michaels Church, Bedford, Texas.

Betty Fuller

Betty (Hull) Fuller, 62, of Granite City died at 8:50 a.m. Sunday, Oct. 20, 1996, following a three month illness. She was born Dec. 5, 1933, in Desloge, Mo., and had been a resident of the area for 40 years.

Mrs. Fuller was a housewife and had been a resident of the area for 40 years.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert W. Fuller Sr., who died in 1985; and her parents, Fred and Bertha Mae (Craig) Hull.

Survivors include her daughter, Buffy Dowdy of Pontoon Beach; five sons, Richard, Buggs, Skipper, and Robert W. Jr.; Fuller all of Granite City and Mike Fuller of Madison; two brothers, Gene and Jerald Hull both of Granite City; three sisters, Peggy Van Gilder of Granite City, Bonnie Davis of Troy, and Neva Ezell of Indian Mound, Tenn.; 17 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. today, Wednesday, Oct. 23, at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church, 3939 Lake Drive, Pontoon, with the Rev. H. Crippen officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Thomas E. Ryan

Thomas E. Ryan, 53, of Granite City died at 1:58 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 17, 1996, at Anna Henry Nursing Home in Edwardsville. He was born May 24, 1943, in Madison.

Mr. Ryan was employed as a cook at the Waffle House in Collinsville.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ear. E. and Mabel (Neigenfand) Ryan.

Survivors include one brother, Patrick J. Ryan of Millstadt; and five aunts.

Services were held Monday at Calvary Cemetery Chapel, Glen Carbon, with the Rev. Stephen Potman officiating. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery, Glen Carbon.

Arrangements were handled by Weber Funeral Home, 304 S. Main, Edwardsville.

Edward Mischke

Edward Mischke, 83, of Edwardsville, formerly of Caseyville, died Sunday, Oct. 20, 1996, at University Manor Nursing Home.

Mr. Mischke retired as a salesman from Armour and Co. in Madison City after 30 years of service. He then went to work for Dow Chemical Co. in Madison and retired from there after 17 years.

He was a World War II Army veteran, as well as a member of the Armour Old Timers Club, Caseyville United Methodist Church, and was a former member of the Loy Order of the Moose Lodge 53 in Granite City.

He was preceded in death by four brothers, Glen, Bill, Earl, and Thomas Mischke.

Survivors include his wife, Harriet M. (Bean) Mischke; four sons, David Bean of Maryville; four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. today, Wednesday, at Kessy Mortuary, 9900 St. Clair, in Hazelwood.

Revs. John Davis and Bruce Rushing officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Hope Cemetery in Belleville.

Memorials are suggested to either Alzheimer's or American Parkinson's Disease Association.

J. Brenner

Josephine M. (Sticka) Brenner, 88, of Belleville died at 11:25 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 16, 1996, at Castlehaven Convalescent Center in Swansea. She was born Oct. 20, 1907, in Belleville.

Mrs. Brenner was an avid gardener, always willing to share her roses with everyone. She was employed for 25 years as a seamstress at Charles Meyer pants factory.

She was preceded in death by her husband, George Brenner, whom she married Oct. 16, 1928; her parents, John and Kathryn (Roth) Sticka; two brothers and one sister.

Survivors include two daughters, Joyce Brenner and Carol Asbury both of Belleville; one sister, Amanda Schwartz of Belleville; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday, Oct. 18, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, 1706 W. Main, Belleville. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Cemetery in Belleville.

Memorials are suggested to Alzheimer's Association, St. Louis Chapter, or St. Mary's Catholic Church in Belleville.

Arrangements were handled by Baldus-Radden Funeral

Home, 3416 W. Main, Belleville.

Cora Blackston

Cora L. (White) Blackston, 72, of Granite City died at 1:40 a.m. Friday, Oct. 11, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. She was born Aug. 16, 1924, in Portland, Tenn.

Mrs. Blackston retired as an assembler from Bussmann Fuss, St. Louis, 1979, after 19 years. She was a member of the Baptist faith.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Chris and Mabel (Norwood) White; a sister, Lillian Armour; two brothers, Luther Edward White and Columbus John White; and a grandson, Christopher Cole.

Survivors include her husband, James K. Blackston, whom she married June 26, 1964, in Granite City; a daughter, Linda M. Leavelle of Granite City; one brother, Lester "Gray" White of Keyesport, Ill.; five grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Services were held last Tuesday at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, in Granite City. Colp officiating. Burial was in St. John Cemetery on Nameoki Road.

Memorials are suggested to the Salvation Army Food Basket.

Hilda Schroeder

Hilda C. Schroeder, 78, of Florissant, formerly of Granite City, died at 7:55 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 16, 1996, at Oak Forest North Nursing Home, where she had lived since January 1995. She was born Aug. 31, 1917, in Granite City.

Mrs. Schroeder was owner of Holiday Service Travel Agency in Granite City and Edwardsville for 31 years before retiring in 1984. She was a member of St. John United Church of Christ in Granite City, past national president of Phi Tau Omega Sorority, past president of the Granite City Chamber of Commerce, past member of the American Society of Travel Agents and a former board member of the American Red Cross.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Henry and Caroline (Bruene) Schroeder.

Survivors include her friend, Kathryn Weddell of Florissant; and six cousins, Ruth Petri and Elma Romank, both of Granite City, Alberta Becker of Belleville, Betty Timko of Lawrenceville, Ga., Katherine Young of Brentwood, Tenn., and Jean Bergmann Jr. of Piedmont, Mo.

Services were held Saturday, Oct. 18, at St. John's United Church of Christ, 2801 Namok Road, Granite City, with the Rev. Walter Martinez officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to St. John United Church of Christ.

Law guidebook available

Leading Illinois Attorneys announce the publication and availability of the inaugural edition of the Leading Illinois Attorneys Consumer Law Guidebook, an innovative resource designed to provide individuals in need of legal services with in-depth biographical profiles of leading Illinois attorneys and comprehensive overview of the law.

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Included in the inaugural edition of the Leading Illinois Attorneys Consumer Law Guidebook are extensive biographical profiles of many of these Leading Illinois Attorneys.

Local attorneys profiled in the book include: Stephen McMillery of Carr, Koren, Kunin, Montroy & Glass, Personal Injury Law; Transportation, Belleville; Robert C. Nelson, Nelson, Bement, Stubbfield & Levenhagen, P.C., Workers' Compensation Law, Belleville; Timothy C. Stubbfield, Nelson, Bement, Stubbfield & Levenhagen, P.C., Family Law, Belleville; Raza Gossage, Raza Gossage, P.C., Family Law, Belleville; William A. Mueller, The Bankruptcy Center, Bankruptcy Law, Belleville; John J. Kuroski, The Kuroski Law Firm, P.C., Family Law, Belleville (Swansea); Treva H. O'Neill, O'Neill & Proctor, Family Law, Carbondale; Janet C. Proctor, O'Neill & Proctor, Family Law, Carbondale; Edward J. Klonka, Professor of Law, Civil Appellate Law, Carbondale; John Womack, Womack & Associates, Personal Injury Law, General, Carbondale; Mike Reed, Law Office of Mike Reed, Bankruptcy Law, Centralia; Rex Carr, Carr, Koren, Tillery, Kunin, Montroy & Glass, Personal Injury Law; General, East St. Louis; Mark Glass, Carr, Koren, Tillery, Kunin, Montroy & Glass, Workers' Compensation Law, East St. Louis; Sander Koren, Carr, Koren, Tillery, Kunin, Montroy & Glass, Personal Injury Law; Transportation, East St. Louis; Gerald L. Dole, Mackel & Ribbing, Personal Injury Law; Personal Injury Law; Medical & Professional Malpractice, East St. Louis; Jon G. Carlson, Carlson Wendler & Sanderson, P.C., Personal Injury Law; Transportation, Edwardsville; Morris Lane Harvey, Law Offices of Morris Lane Harvey, Family Law, Fairfield; Lance Callis, Callis, Papa, Jensen, Jackstadt & Haloran, P.C., Personal Injury Law; Transportation, Granite City; David Sharp, Sharp, Law Office of Terry Sharp, P.C., Bankruptcy Law, Mt. Vernon.

Annexed

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out after heavy rains and results in huge pot holes. Joe Juneau, the city's contractual engineer and one of the chief negotiators in the annexation project, said that Tritan plans to put in a concrete entrance to the parking lot.

The city has also agreed to install driveway aprons and a storm sewer drainage system in front of the entrance to the driving range.

Juneau estimated the cost of the city's participation in the project at \$25,790 and Tritan's at \$5,481.

But Mackel and Ribbing said they were disappointed they were not allowed to express their concerns at the meeting prior to the formal annexation.

"I don't attend every Granite City Council meeting and so I don't know the rules (to get on the agenda to speak)," Ribbing said.

"How could I notify the clerk by Thursday (that I wanted to speak at a Monday meeting) if notice of the meeting wasn't published until Sunday?" Mackel asked. "I think we probably could have worked this out."

Assistant City Attorney Brian Konzen said LFFPD was notified of the city's intent to annex the property at least 10 days prior to the meeting, as required by law.

But Mackel said the city may have failed to meet the statutory requirements regarding notification of a public hearing on the pre-annexation agreement.

In a related matter, Selph recently notified state legislators of the city's desire to have an overpass built over the Alton & Southern, Chicago & Northwestern and Nickel Plate railroad tracks located on Illinois 162 just west of the annexed property.

But Mackel said the city officials were willing to work out agreements with the Long Lake fire district that would benefit both the city and the fire district and that could ensure optimum protection of the annexed property in the event of a fire.

Selph said expansion of the city's boundaries and property tax base have been a priority since he took office three and a half years ago.

Madison

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nue for the year. The Madison district's average is about 7.2 percent and all funds are in the black.

Because of the paperwork involved, Allison said, it would probably be several months before the district is taken off the list.

In other business, the board approved hiring Illinova, the parent company of Illinois Power, as the project manager for a new energy management system.

At a previous meeting, Allison told the board a new heating and cooling system in the middle school — at a cost of about \$300,000 — could probably pay for itself in five to seven years.

The board also heard a short presentation from teachers and administrators at Madison Middle School.

The group recently gave a presentation on "Advisory Procedures and Activities" at the fall conference of the Association of Illinois Middle Level Schools, held in early October in Peoria.

New board member Farris Smith was also sworn in. Smith will fill the remainder of the two-year term of Dannie Sipes Sr., who has moved out of the district.

Dole

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MTV is the wrong message to send to young people.

"Let's assume he was kidding — kids don't know that," Dole said.

She noted sharp increases in drug use by youth during Clinton's term, something she said her husband would remedy with an "all out war on crime and drugs."

While she talked about her husband's policies, she also talked about personal stories and anecdotes. She read portions of a letter written to Bob Dole's father during World War II, informing him of injuries that his son might not recover from.

But her husband did recover, during a lengthy process that made him a more "caring and compassionate person."

"He knows pain and suffering," Dole said. "You become very sensitive to the problems of others because you've been there, too."

She even made light of his inability to use his right hand and explained that Bob Dole frequently carries a pen in his right hand to keep people from grabbing his inactive arm.

Being Mrs. Dole is hardly Elizabeth Dole's only distinction. She served as transportation secretary under President Ronald Reagan and labor secretary under President George Bush. She resigned from the Bush administration in 1990 to become head of the American Red Cross where she served as president until taking a leave of absence in 1995 to join her husband's campaign.

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'Benjamin's Web' set for SIUE stage Saturday

"Benjamin's Web," a young boy's journey on the Internet and how he connects to others in the world, will kick off "A

Season for the Child," the annual season of plays for the entire family co-sponsored by TheBANK of Edwardsville and

the Friends of Theater and Dance at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

"Benjamin's Web" will be performed by Munny First Stage of St. Louis at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 26, in SIUE's Communications Building theater.

The play is about Benjamin and his love of science and computers. His third-grade class is studying spiders but Benjamin is afraid of them, so he surfs the Internet looking for comforting information about the insects.

Data pours in from all over the world and Benjamin begins to discover an intricate web of facts about the eight-legged creatures. His journey teaches how some things that are scary are actually helpful to humanity, and how easy it is to save a web of connections throughout the world.

Tickets for "Benjamin's Web" are \$6; children, \$4.50, with group rates available. For more information or to obtain tickets, call the SIUE Fine Arts box office, 692-2774.



(BAC photo by LINDA GASS BUR-GESS)

Vicki Rose, left, director of the Senior Companion Program, and Joan Major, Director of the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program, hold the awards that their programs received from the Southwestern Illinois Area Agency on Aging. Both programs are operated by Belleville Area College's Programs and Services for Older Persons.

BAC programs win honors

Two programs operated by Belleville Area College's Programs and Services for Older Persons are recipients of Senior Community Recognition Awards presented by the Southwestern Illinois Area

Agency on Aging. The awards were announced at a Sept. 19 luncheon held at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows.

The Senior Companion Program and the Retired and

Senior Volunteer Program, along with four other area organizations, received the awards for being "agencies of action," SWIAA officials said.

Vicki Rose, director of the Senior Companion Program, and Joan Major, RSVP director, accepted the awards on behalf of their respective programs.

The Senior companion program serves St. Clair, Madison, Monroe and Randolph counties, with 120 volunteers serving more than 220 clients. The RSVP has more than 1,000 volunteers serving 155 local agencies, including hospitals, schools, libraries and community organizations.

PSOP also was prominent in other awards given at the luncheon. Two PSOP Advisory Council members, Harold Wright and Wade Brummann, were named co-recipients of the Sister Mary Simpson Award for Service to the Senior Community. The award was established in 1994 in memory of Sister Mary Simpson, a longtime SWIAA board member who also served as PSOP's director of outreach services for many years.



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Plates honor three universities

Secretary of State George H. Ryan has unveiled new license plates honoring University of Illinois-Springfield, Southern Illinois University, and Eastern Illinois University, the latest in a new series of "collegiate" license plates that will raise money for student scholarships.

"These new plates we're previewing today will raise money for general student scholarships and will allow fans across this state to show their support for their favorite school," Ryan said. "By the end of November, you'll be seeing these new plates cruising all over the campus," the secretary added. "You'll know the driver is a fan. But what's more, when you see the plate on a car or truck, you'll know that the driver has decided to make a significant and annual contribution to student scholarships and higher education in general."

The initial purchase price of the new collegiate license plate is \$88, \$40 higher than the

standard fee for a license plate. Of that extra fee, \$25 will go to a special scholarship fund.

The annual renewal fee for the plate will be \$75. Again, \$25 from that fee will go into the scholarship fund. This amount has increased slightly in the last few years,

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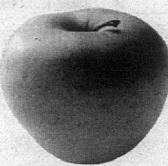
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Co-dependency is topic of talk

St. Elizabeth Medical Center's behavioral health system will present a talk entitled "Co-Dependency: The Family Illness" at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 29.

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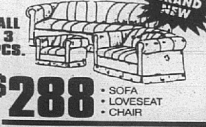
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Run

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a five-man junior varsity crew. Hassell ran the best overall time for any GCJS runner—including Eddie Connolly (junior) and Robert Lampitt (senior)—placing among the top 10 J.V. finishers with a three-mile time of 18 minutes and 17 seconds. Connolly ran fastest among varsity Warriors, though his 18:30 time did not get him among the top 30.

"We weren't necessarily in the competition team-wise, but we had a few individuals who ran the best races of their careers," Haefner said. "Jeff Hassell's 18:17 was excellent on that hilly course, especially with the very heavy wind that day. That was best run we've seen yet from Jeff."

GCJS still had Monday's Edwardsville Freshman-Sophomore Invitational and Tuesday's Alton Invitational as final workouts before the regional. Connolly and Lampitt have run varsity all season,

but Haefner expects Hassell and freshmen Kevin Atkins and Dan Robinson to step up and join them Saturday as the five regional team scorers.

"(Sophomore) Nathan Bain will be my sixth runner," Haefner said. "But since neither of the two extra runners are expected to score for us, I'm probably going to use Dave Thompson as No. 7. He's not my seventh fastest man in the program, but he's a senior and he has put in the time."

Atkins ran second among the Warriors at conference in the J.V. division with a time of 19:00. He was followed by scorers Robinson (19:19), Bain (20:58) and sophomore Jarrod White, who just moved up from the open division level. The usual No. 5 junior varsity man, freshman Dave Elliff, still has not recovered from recent nagging injuries. As per usual, Haefner ran his few individual girls on the varsity level at conference.

"(Senior) Heather Mell has been coming down the last three meets," Haefner said.

"She ran a 16:12 for two miles (at conference) and that was her fastest time. She's my captain, and she keeps improving. We had the sophomore girl (Kiomara Padilla) finish strong again and our third girl (junior Crystal Robinson) is still injured. The girls are all working hard in practice, they're serious about their running, and their times are going down."

Haefner has reported like progress all season among his boys. At press time, he had not been informed where his J.V. boys placed in the team standings, though it was likely among the top five.

"For us, the team standings are not as important as how much each kid improves," Haefner said. "We're going to come out of this saying we worked hard and we did better. Sure, I'm not going say we had a winning team, but you can't win if you don't have a varsity. I think we will give a good account of ourselves at regionals, even though we'll be running freshmen and sophomores."

Cardinals Team of the Week



The Thunder softball team went 14-0 this season and won league and playoff titles in the Granite City Park District Pontiat Atom Division. The Thunder batted .751 as a team. Team members include (front row from left) Krista Legate, Lauren Smith, Amie Carr, Lauren Horton, Jenny Janek, Erin Dix, Kristen Wilson; and (second row) Lindsay Boyer, Katie Root, Sarah Demaree, Jamie Davis, Ashley Finch, Laura Mills and Lauren Riggs. Standing with the team are (from left) coaches Mark Wilson, Alan Legate and Don Dix. Not pictured: Ashley Meuren, Hannah Kutosky and coach Mark Davis.

Romp

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semifinals and finals. "We felt like we (had) a very good chance of beating East St. Louis," Cole said.

"Collinsville is a big rival, but we beat them twice this year in two games scores. We set our goals for third or fourth place being realistic although anything can happen in a tournament."

The Lady Warriors didn't get the run of good fortune Cole wanted at Freeburg. They opened Friday with a 3-15, 6-15 loss to Marissa, the eventual fourth-place overall finisher. GCJS then lost 7-15, 4-15, on Saturday morning to Freeburg, followed by a 6-15, 5-15 loss a few hours later to Breesee Central — the eventual tourney champion and a projected Class A state title contender.

The Lady Warriors finally recovered in the closer Saturday night, a 7-15, 15-11, 15-5 win over Highland. Senior outside hitters Amy Tapp and Stephanie Brandt paced a dominant net performance for GCJS. Highland wound up dropping to the Pool A cellar at 0-4.

"There are times because of our inexperience we can fall three steps back in terms of intensity level," Cole said. "That's kind of what happened

at Freeburg, although there was some great competition there. It's unfortunate that we didn't win more, but it was a good experience to get us ready for the conference tournament."

Cole has not been disappointed with Granite City's 11-16 record entering the SWC event. Senior setter Tonna Druhe, another team co-captain, and juniors Kerry Lassiter (middle blocker), Jenna Wright (middle blocker) and Laurie Bohnstiehl (outside hitter) have been solid support starters.

But the Lady Warriors are still smarting from the graduation of several all-area seniors.

"It has been a transition with this being my first year as head coach," Cole said.

"We have inexperience at putting the ball away because we didn't have a big hitter at the start. At least not one person that can put it down at crunch time. We have gotten a lot better at that. And we have been playing with a balanced attack from everyone."

Wanted: Stats, standings

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"Raymond has come a long way this year," Hill said. "He's becoming quite a quarterback."

Granite City was without its top running back, Mike Posey, for the second straight week. Juaneel Goodwin led the Warriors with 14 carries and 54 yards.

"I wish I would have had him the last two weeks," Petrillo said of Posey. "Things might have been different."

Warrior quarterback Kevin Harris finished 7-for-19 with 114 yards through the air.

But Harris was constantly hassled by the front seven of the Flyers. Ramsey led the Flyer defense with 10 tackles and an interception, while Eddie Johnson picked up seven tackles, including a sack and a half.

The Flyers took a 12-0 lead in the third quarter, when Cooper scored on a 3-yard run and Lee followed with a 2-yard score.

It remained that way until the fourth quarter, when Ramsey and Tillman got loose.

Granite City scored in the game's waning minutes, when running back Pete McKinnie caught a pair of passes, the second one getting the Warriors to the 1-yard line. McKinnie then went in from there on the next play.

"We felt like we could pass if we got the time," said Petrillo. "We really felt like we had a shot to win this one. We were disappointed with the way they controlled the ball in the first half, but we look up at the scoreboard at the half and we're only down 12-0."

"We were still in the game, but in the second half we couldn't do the things we needed to to get back in it."

"We had to work hard today, but again, we should have done better offensively," said Hill. "Too many times, just when we were starting to gain momentum and get a drive going, we'd make a foolish mistake and get penalized."

"But we're happy. There's no guarantees, but it looks like we're playoff bound, and that's where we wanted to be by the end of the season."

St. Louis Ambush schedule

October

25 — Baltimore Spirit, 7:35 p.m.

November

2 — Kansas City Attack, 7:35 p.m.; 29 — Philadelphia Kixx, 7:35 p.m.

December

14 — Cleveland Crunch, 7:35 p.m.; 20 — Edmonton Drillers, 7:35 p.m.; 21 — Detroit Rockers, 1:05 p.m.

January

4 — Milwaukee Wave, 7:35 p.m.; 17 — Tampa Bay Terror, 7:35 p.m.; 18 — Milwaukee Wave, 7:35 p.m.; 24 — Kansas City

Attack, 7:35 p.m.; 25 — Wichita Wings, 7:35 p.m.

February

1 — Milwaukee Wave, 8:05 p.m.; 15 — Wichita Wings, 8:05 p.m.; 21 — Cincinnati Silverbacks, 7:35 p.m.; 22 — Harrisburg Heat, 8:05 p.m.

March

8 — Wichita Wings, 8:05 p.m.; 21 — Columbus Invaders, 7:35 p.m.; 22 — Buffalo Blizzard, 7:35 p.m.; 28 — Kansas City Attack, 7:35 p.m.

For information on single-game and season tickets, call 962-4625.

Journal Writers' Poll Boys Soccer

1. CBC (17-2-2)..... 70
2. SLUH (16-3-3)..... 63
3. DeSmet (17-6-1)..... 56
4. Francis Howell N. (15-3-3)..... 46
5. Chamblade (15-4-3)..... 37
6. Oakville (14-3-2)..... 35
7. Vianney (8-7-5)..... 25
8. Hazelwood C. (13-5-1)..... 14
9. Webster Groves (17-3-1)..... 9
10. St. Dominic (10-3-5)..... 8

Also receiving votes: Principia, Ft. Zumwalt South, Rockwood Summit, Collinsville, Aquinas-Mercy, Rosary, Triad.

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1994 F-150 XLT SUPER CAB Green.	1993 LEMANS 2 DR. White.	1991 FIREBIRD T-Tops, White.
1993 F-150 XLT SUPER CAB 4X4 Blue.	1993 EXPLORER 4 DR. Grey.	1990 REGAL LIMITED 2 DR. Red.
1993 F-250 XLT 4X4 Blue.	1992 SPIRIT 4 DR. White.	1989 ESCORT 2 DR. Red.
1992 F-150 XLT Blue/Silver.	1991 SUNBIRD 4 DR. Grey.	1986 BUICK SOMERSET 2 DR. Red.
1991 F-150 XLT Grey/Red.	1990 PLYMOUTH ACCLAIM 4 DR. Red.	
1991 F-150 4X4 XLT Red/White.	COMPACT TRUCKS	
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Anyone interested should call Ray Hoffman at the Wilson Park office, 877-3059.

Adult basketball league
The Granite City Park District is starting a 35-and-older basketball league. Games will be played on Wednesday evenings at Prather Elementary School or Grigsby Middle School. The league is open to players 35 years old during the current calendar year.

Registration is now being taken, and the fee is \$230 per team. Anyone interested in the program should contact the Wilson Park office at 877-3059.

Men's leagues forming
The Granite City Park District men's basketball leagues are being formed. The leagues

will play at Prather and Grigsby schools on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings this fall and winter. The entry fee for all leagues is \$230 per team, and the starting date for the program is Nov. 13.

The deadline for registration is Oct. 25. For more information, call Ray Hoffman at the park office, 877-3059.

Indoor soccer tournament
Applications are being taken for the 10th annual Metro East Indoor Tournament of Champions, Nov. 24-27 and Nov. 29-Dec. 1 at the Ball Park Sports Center in O'Fallon.

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Prep football

Southwestern Conference			
Team	League	W	Overall
Edwardsville	6	0	8
East St. Louis	5	1	7
Collinsville	4	2	5
Granite City	3	4	3
Belleville East	2	4	2
Belleville West	2	4	2
Alton	1	5	2
ESL Lincoln	1	5	1

Friday, Oct. 18			
Belleville East 55, Alton 34			
Edwardsville 66, Collinsville 21			

Saturday, Oct. 19			
East St. Louis 23, Granite City 8			
Belleville West 40, ESL Lincoln 6			

Friday, Oct. 25			
East St. Louis at Alton, 7:30 p.m.			
Edwardsville at Granite City, 7:30 p.m.			
Dupo, 7:30 p.m.			
Edwardsville at Belleville West, 7:30 p.m.			
Belleville East at ESL Lincoln, 7:30 p.m.			

Cahokia Conference			
Team	League	W	Overall
Freeburg	6	0	7
Carlyle	4	2	5
Watson	3	3	3
Columbia	3	3	4
Dupo	2	4	2
Red Bud	2	4	2
Breese Central	0	6	0

Friday, Oct. 18			
Dupo 42, Breese Central 6			
Freeburg 42, Red Bud 20			
Columbia 29, Waterloo 16			
Carlyle 43, Christopher 6			

Friday, Oct. 25			
Chester at Dupo, 7:30 p.m.			

Vandalia at Breese Central, 7:30 p.m.			
Red Bud at Sparta, 7:30 p.m.			
Gillespie at Columbia, 7:30 p.m.			
Alton Marquette at Waterloo, 7:30 p.m.			
Carlyle at Elkhart Elverado, 7:30 p.m.			
Freeburg at Breese Mater Dei, 7:30 p.m.			

Mississippi Valley Conference			
Team	League	W	Overall
Triad	4	1	5
Civic Memorial	4	1	5
Jerseyville	4	2	6
Mascoutah	2	3	4
Roxana	2	3	4
Highland	1	4	3
Wood River	1	4	3

Friday, Oct. 18			
Triad 25, Roxana 23			
Jerseyville 25, Highland 15			
Mount Zion 36, Wood River 21			

Saturday, Oct. 19			
Civic Memorial 42, Mascoutah 18			
Triad at Civic Memorial, 7:30 p.m.			
Mascoutah at Highland, 7:30 p.m.			
Roxana at Wood River, 7:30 p.m.			
Jerseyville at Carbondale, 7:30 p.m.			

South Seven Conference			
Team	League	W	Overall
Cahokia	4	0	6
O'Fallon	4	0	6
Mount Vernon	2	2	3
Marion	1	3	2
Centerville	1	3	2
Carbondale	1	2	1

Friday, Oct. 18			
Centerville 22, Mount Vernon 17			
Carbondale 21, Hickman 40			
O'Fallon 25			

Football Polls

Journal Writers' Poll: Football

LARGE SCHOOLS

1. Edwardsville (8-0).....	70
2. Mehlville (7-0).....	53
3. Pattonville (6-1).....	56
4. Hazelwood Central (6-1).....	44
5. CBC (7-0).....	41
6. Hazelwood East (8-1).....	38
7. Francis Howell (7-0).....	38
8. East St. Louis (7-1).....	19
9. Webster Groves (5-1).....	14
10. Parkway North (6-1).....	6

Also receiving votes: SLUH (5-2), Triad (7-1).

SMALL SCHOOLS

1. Herculaneum (7-0).....	70
2. MCDSD (6-0).....	63
3. Freeburg (7-1).....	51
4. Ladue (6-1).....	50
5. St. Charles West (6-1).....	35
6. Priory (6-1).....	36
7. Althoff (7-1).....	30
8. (tie) John Burroughs (3-3).....	18
8. (tie) McCluer North (3-4).....	14
10. Berkeley (6-1).....	11

Also receiving votes: Crystal City (4-2), St. Mary's (5-1), Duchesne (3-4), Waterloo (5-3), Cardinal Ritter (5-2).

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Our event calendar also includes entries for community groups and their normal meeting days. Such groups meet on the first Monday of the month, the first Tuesday of the month, etc. Readers are encouraged to call these groups if holidays or other days pose uncertainty. Corrections, additions and deletions of information are encouraged, and new entries may be added at anytime by calling the newsroom at 578-3000.

This calendar runs in every Wednesday's Journal.

Wednesday, Oct. 23

Disabled American Veterans Chapter 53 will offer a service officer from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Tri-City Veterans Home, located at 1417 19th St., in Granite City. Call 876-7816 for more information.

Pontoon Beach Senior Citizens bingo, noon, 3910 Illinois St., Pontoon Beach.

Pulmonary Support Group, or persons with diagnosed lung condition, 11 a.m. to noon at 14-Doctors Solarium, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-3019.

Al-Anon, 7:15 p.m. Gateway Foundation, 600 W. Lincoln Ave., Caseyville. Call 463-2429 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 p.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth School's Youth's Ark Day Care, Pontoon Road, Granite City. The meetings are closed except for the last Wednesday of the month.

Divorced and Separated Group Ministry, 8:30 p.m., Eden United Church of Christ, 303 Second Street, Edwardsville, 665-9268.

Parents Anonymous Group, meets 6 to 8 p.m. For information on where meeting will be held, call Elaine Landolt, 462-2714.

Madison Community Action Group, meets at 7 p.m. For more information call Dan at 452-2336 or Diane at 876-1360.

Church Women United

Teachers devise rating system

Teachers in Edwardsville may soon have their own rating system for movies that can be shown in class. Parents would also have a say in what films and videotapes are played to classes under a school district committee's proposed policy.

The Video Use Policy Review Committee met recently to wrap up work on a draft of the policy, which it began formulating last spring. Craig Louer, assistant superintendent for instruction, presented the draft several hours later to the School Board.

Under the policy, G-rated movies could be shown at any grade level. But from kindergarten through fifth grade, parental permission would be required for PG and unrated movies with potentially objectionable materials. PG-13 and R movies would not be allowed.

Louer said the district has no video policy and teachers expressed a need for guidance on showing films like an abridged Schindler's List. The Indian in the Cupboard, for example, is rated PG, but grades six through eight, parental permission would be needed for PG, PG-13 and unrated movies that might be objectionable. No R-rated movies could be shown.

All movies must be approved by principals in kindergarten through grade eight. At the high school, teachers would preview movies and have objectionable material removed. Anyone showing an R- or PG-13 rated movie would have to have written permission from a committee consisting of the principal, department chairman and faculty member.

Movies also have to be relevant to the curriculum, said Louer. When students do not obtain the required parents' permission, they won't be allowed to see the movie. Parents also will be able to preview movies if they show up to the rating system, principals and teachers ultimately decide if movies are appropriate for the classroom. Louer said he did not want to list specific objections because there always could be new ones that would be exempt because they weren't listed.

"As a principal I'm going to put my 'parent hat' on and give my best guess on the side of prudence. It is my responsibility to preview these things and make my judgments," said John Dean, principal of the junior high.

The Rev. Paul Westbrook attended the review session and expressed concerns about letting all PG-13 movies be shown at the high school.

"There's a huge leeway," he said of PG-13 movies. "I have a problem with that."

This committee then changed the portion requiring approval for just R-rated movies to both PG-13 and R movies.

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will meet at 10 a.m. at the Holy Family Community Center.

Madison County Parents Without Partners meets at 7 p.m. at the Harwood Building, Franklin Avenue and Pontoon Road. Call 877-4350 for more information.

Bemis Chiropractor, 3361 Fehling Road in Granite City, is offering free electronic spinal screenings from 9 a.m. to noon. Call 876-2273 for more information.

Chouteau Township Senior Citizens, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Social Center, 906 Thorngate Drive, Mitchell.

Eagle Park Area Seniors of Madison meet from 10 a.m. to noon at 100 Hill St. (rear), Eagle Park Acres, Madison.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., Presbyterian Church, Mitchell, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly Chapter 2363, 6:45 p.m. at Anchorage Recreation Center, 2909 Edwards St. For information, 797-6351 or 877-2784.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., Wellness Center, 2103 Iowa, 463-2429.

Narcotics Anonymous, Seeking recovery, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hot-line 398-9409.

Granite City Community Band rehearsals, 7:30 to 9 p.m., 2103 Iowa, 463-2429.

Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple, 20th Street and Cleveland Boulevard in Granite City.

Hereditary Ataxia (a disorder of nerve cells in the spinal cord and cerebellum) support group, called Curt Williams, 877-5172, for information.

Al-Anon meets at 8 p.m. in the Milonaki Room in the basement at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Call 463-2429 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

First United Methodist

Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Friday Afternoon Pinochle Club for seniors 55 and over meets at 12:30 p.m. at the Harwood Building, Franklin Avenue and Pontoon Road. Call 877-4350 for more information.

STEMSS (Support Together for Emotional and Mental Serenity and Sobriety), A support group for people with a mental illness and an alcohol or substance abuse problem, meets from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. at Pascal Hall, St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Call 798-3604 for more information.

Saturday, Oct. 26

"Autumnfest" Annual Bazaar, 227 Cleveland, First United Methodist Church, 1900 Pontoon Road. Booths (crafts, kid's corner, country store/sweet shoppe, attic treasures, plants) from 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Luncheon - homemade soup, salads, dessert and beverage - served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Luncheon tickets: Adults, \$4; children 4-12, \$1.50. Entertainment Books '97 will be available.

Pontoon Beach Senior Citizens pollock dinner, 5 p.m., 3910 Illinois, 111, Pontoon Beach.

Quad City Youth Fellowship, 227 Cleveland, 2 p.m., 951-3450 or 877-4648.

Al-Anon Adult Children, 10 a.m., park in rear, no smoking, 462-8596.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

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Narcotics Anonymous, Acceptance, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hot-line 398-9409.

Rescue Mission, 1536 Fourth St., Madison, food pantry is open from 9 a.m. to noon. Samuel Turner is the chairman, Valonda Turner is the secretary and Alfred Turner is the pastor.

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Church of Madison will celebrate its 90th anniversary today. The service of celebration begins at 2 p.m. Guest speakers, special music, fellowship, and sharing of memories. Everyone is invited to attend.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 1:30 p.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Narcotics Anonymous, Live the Steps, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hot-line 398-9409.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Pascal Hall, main floor, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Eagles Auxiliary 1126 Bingo, 1 p.m. at the Nameoki Bingo Center. Also included will be a color raffle, 50/50 drawing free games and other raffles.

Old Six Mile Museum, 327 Maryville Road, Granite City, is open to the public each Sunday from 1-4 p.m. through December 15. Special tours for groups are available. Call Georgia Engelke, 931-3023, to arrange a tour or call 931-1352 for more information.

Granite City Foursquare Church, 2400 East 25th St., hot meals served free of charge to those in need or those who just want someone to talk to. Open to public. For information or a ride, call 451-9633.

Madison County Chapter 188 Parents Without Partners, a non-profit support group for parents of all ages, meets at Nameoki United Methodist Church, 1900 Pontoon Road. New and prospective member orientation from 7-7:30 p.m. General meeting from 7:30-8:30 p.m.

Arthritis Support Group, 7 p.m., Alton Memorial Hospital cafeteria, Room B.

Senior Social Club, Halloween Dance at the Township Hall, Call 877-1215 for more details.

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Chemical Dependency Relapse Prevention group meets from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Edwardsville Health Center, 1123 University Drive in Edwardsville. The group focuses on eliminating relapse-prone thinking, feeling and behavior patterns and helping group members grow in sobriety. For more information, call 798-3888.

First Place, a Christ-centered nutrition program, meets from 6 to 7 p.m. at First Baptist Church, 2041 Delmar Ave. in Granite City. Call 692-2197 for details.

Neglected Victims of Child Sexual Abuse, a support group for nonoffending parents of victims, meets from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville's Rape and Sexual Abuse Care Center. Call 692-2197 for details.

TOPS 2048 (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 8 p.m., Melvin Fire Support Center in Granite City, 876-2124.

TOPS IL 645, 7 p.m., Anchorage Recreation Center, 2902 Edwards St., Granite City, 452-6102. Men and women welcome.

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Pavilion dedicated — Knights of Columbus Council 1098 dedicated their new outdoor pavilion on Aug. 24.

Briefly

Band performing concert
The Granite City Community Band will perform a concert at 1 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 27. The concert will be held at St. John United Church of Christ, 2901 Nameoki Road.
Selections included in the concert will be "Officer of the Day March" by R.B. Hall, highlights from "The Wizard of Oz" arranged by Paul Yoder, "Hollywood" arranged by Warren Barker, "The Sorcerer's Apprentice" by Paul Dukas, "At The Greenin' Ball" by Charles Lee Hall, "Alfred

Hitchcock Presents" arranged by Paul Yoder, "Selections from Aladdin" arranged by Paul Moss, "On The Trail" by Ferde Grofe, "Kartoon Kaleidoscope" arranged by Paul Lavender, highlights from "Jesus Christ Superstar" by Andrew Lloyd Weber, highlights from "Man of La Mancha" by Mitch Leigh, and "The New Colonial March" by R.B. Hall.
Admission to the performance is free. For information, call Linda at 931-0443.

Costume party slated
The Granite City Park Dis-

trict will hold its annual Halloween Party at Brown Recreation Center from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 25.
This party is for children in grades Kindergarten through third. All children must be in costume. The entertainment for the evening will be provided by a magician. In addition, each child will receive a special Halloween treat.

Wilson the Gorilla will also make an appearance. Every one attending must register either in person or by phone at the Park Office, 877-3059, beginning Oct. 21.

Births

Ragnetti-Malczynski
Jules Ragnetti and Glenda Malczynski have announced the birth of their first child, a son.
Nicholas Michael was born at 7:40 p.m. Aug. 10, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. He weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces.
Maternal grandparents are Michael Malczynski and Linda Jones of Granite City.
Paternal grandparents are Jules Ragnetti and Julia Elmore of Granite City.

Ozanich

Michael and Christine Ozanich of Granite City have announced the birth of their third child, a boy.

Jonathan Michael was born at 7:57 p.m., July 29, at Oliver C. Anderson in Maryville. He weighed 6 pounds, 9½ ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Anthony and Olga Evanoff of Granite City.
Paternal grandparents are Matt and Miriam Ozanich of Granite City.
Jonathan joins Monica, 9 and Joseph, 7.

Morris

Michael W. and Denise M. Morris of Granite City have announced the birth of their first child, a boy.

Michael Adam was born at 3:25 a.m., Aug. 1, 1996, at St. John's Mercy Hospital. He weighed 9 pounds, 3 ounces.
Maternal grandparents are Dr. Peter and Mary Carich of Granite City.
Paternal grandparents are Charles and Nina Morris of

Granite City.

Spiroff

Christopher and Cherie Spiroff of Granite City have announced the birth of their second child, a boy.

Nathaniel Scott was born July 31, 1996, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville. He weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces.
Maternal grandparents are Mary M. Gillison of Granite City.

Paternal grandparents are Arnold W. Spiroff of Staunton and the late Jeannie F. (Daniels) Spiroff.

Nathaniel joins Andrew, 3 1/2.

Hollis-Mitchell

Willie Hollis of Venice and Karen Mitchell of Madison have announced the birth of their child, a boy.

Demarcus Marquis was born at 7:42 p.m., Aug. 7, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. He weighed eight pounds, 1 ounce.

Galbraith

Stephanie Galbraith of Granite City has announced the birth of her first child, a girl.

Autumn Marie was born on Aug. 7, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. She weighed 6 pounds, 6 ounces.
Maternal grandmother is Margaret Galbraith of Granite City.

Escobar

Jose Guadalupe Escobar and

Devon Jay Woll of Granite City have announced the birth of their first child, a son.

Jose Alejandro was born at 9:06 p.m. Aug. 9, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. He weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Larry and Cheryl Woll of Granite City.

Paternal grandparents are Jorje and Rosa Escoba of Palmillas, Mexico.

Broadwater

Brett and Michelle Broadwater have announced the birth of their second child, a daughter.

Devon Michelle was born at 3:06 p.m. Aug. 15, 1996, at St. John's Mercy Medical Center. She weighed 6 pounds, 7 ounces, and joins a brother, Brandon.

Maternal grandparents are Robert Knobloch of Granite City and Priscilla Lemarr of Memphis, Tenn.

Paternal grandparents are Gerald and Vivian Broadwater of Granite City.

Escobar-Darleth
Antonio Escobar and Jennifer Darleth of Madison have announced the birth of their first child, a boy.

Antonio Hector Michael was born at 2:57 p.m. Aug. 11, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. He weighed 6 pounds, 11 ounces.
Maternal grandparents are Mike Faddis and Debbie Ford of Granite City.
Paternal grandparents are Hector Escobar of Mexico.

KIDS! HALLOWEEN COSTUME CONTEST!

Send in your favorite photo of your child (12 & under) in their best Halloween costume. All photos will be published on Wednesday, October 30 and a winner will be determined by a panel of judges from the Suburban Journals and Johnnie Brooks. The winner will receive a \$50.00 GIFT CERTIFICATE from Johnnie Brooks and bags of candy weighing an equal amount as the winner! The winner's photo will be published on Wednesday, November 6, receiving their prize. Simply fill out the form below, and mail it in along with your photo entry and \$10.00.

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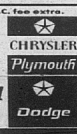
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ORGANIZATIONS

'Saints Alive' elects 1997 officers

The Madison County Baptist Association group "Saints Alive" met Monday, Oct. 7, at Emmanuel Baptist Church on Pontoon Road. Bob Lewis called the meeting to order with the ringing of a bell.

The October birthdays of members were celebrated with cake and ice cream and the singing of Happy Birthday. Saints Alive thanks the association for providing the cake and ice cream. Happy Anniversary was sung to Glen and Phyllis Knight, and Bob and Betty Lewis.

Kathy Sargent led in singing "Faith of Our Fathers" and "I'd Rather Have Jesus," accompanied by Louise Acocks on the piano. Dr. Evelyn Wilkerson led in the prayer for the sick.

The secretary's report was read and approved. For talent time Bob Lewis whistled a song, Virginia Arakaki read two poems, "Hats off to God" and "The Ways to God." Kathy Sargent played a song on the harmonica, Louise Acocks played a song on the piano, Dorothy Wat-

kins read a poem about the people of the group, and the Rev. Larry Gibson, pastor of the Jesus Place Mission, played guitar and sang "Jesus in Walking the Sea" and a song he wrote about the mission titled "If That Isn't Love."

The new officers were elected for the 1997 year. They are: Dr. Evelyn Wilkerson, coordinator; Kathy Aftoller, family ministry; Bob Lewis, president; Glen Knight, vice president; Vera Kirkpatrick, secretary; Kathy Sargent, song leader; Eva Barrow, song leader assistant; Louise Acocks, pianist; and Myra Grote and Phyllis Knight, greeters.

Bob invited everyone to the "Friendly Agers" meeting at Second Baptist Church, 2100 Missouri, Granite City. They meet on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 10:30 a.m. with a potluck at 11:30 a.m.

Kathy Sargent sang a special song titled "I Call Him Lord." Assistant pastor of Second Baptist Church, the Rev. Judd, gave the devotional and asked for the

blessing of the food. Bob Lewis thanked the host church for having the meeting and Mary Chasich and Eva Godwin for preparing the drinks and serving the pot luck.

Those attending meeting were: Mary Hoover, Hassie Jones, Betty Smith, Louada Adams, Fay Golab, Frances Feldman, Irene Wilkinson, Del Willinson, Dolores Hillis, Ola White, Irma Harriet, Erby Waad, Gertrude Sullivan, Wilma Terrill, Norma Jolly, Bryce Jolly, Edith Campbell, and Carvin Talbert.

The next meeting of Saints Alive will be Jan. 6 at Calvary Baptist Church.

Saints Alive is planning a trip to Tennessee April 28 to May 3. The trip will include a visit to the home of Andrew Jackson, reserved seating for a taping of the show Prime Time Country, reserved seating for the Grand Ole Opry, and a visit to the Opryland U.S. Park. Anyone interested in this trip must call 931-6222 before Friday, Oct. 25, to register.

Eagles Auxiliary holds State Conference

The Eagle Auxiliary State Conference was held in Alton on Sept. 13-14.

There were 17 members of Granite City 1126 in attendance: Susan Allen, Becky Worley, Joanna Spencer, Anna Weatherford, Vera Johnson, Carol Miller, Martha Simpson,

Florence Hagauer, Vincine Zerlan, Evalene Ederle, Mary Church, Angie Buehler, Hilda Melton, Marcella Norton, Rose Plenchenski, Helen Mih, and Mildred Boyd.

The ladies meeting was at 1 p.m. Sept. 14. Alton President Nadine Donnenbrink welcomed

all the visitors and introduced her officers.

Conference chairwoman Rita Cucoco introduced the State President, Helen Meyer, who introduced her officers and charity chairwomen.

State membership chairwoman Theresa McWinnie and her crew, Audrey Spradlin, Margaret Roundtree, Cheryl Steward, Becky Garwood, and Marsha Bryant talked about membership and handed out awards to members who have signed one or more new members.

State project chairwoman Martha Howlett talked about the state project, which this

year is Child Abuse. She talked about Court Appointed Special Advocates for Children, CASA, uses trained community volunteers to speak up for abused and neglected children in court.

There were 33 auxiliaries represented at the meeting. After the meeting there was a workshop for secretaries.

After the workshop there was entertainment by Daydream. This team was composed of two women, Cheryl and Jan, who put on a delightful show.

In the evening, there was a banquet followed by dancing.

Granite City optimists install new officers

Bud Charbonnier, immediate past president of the Granite City Optimist Club, hosted the 1996-97 installation of new officers at the Legacy.

After a delicious meal, Wilma Tongay, outgoing president, reflected on the success of the year. Illinois Optimist Gov. Frank Duke gave the new

officers their charges for the coming year.

Linda Vaughn presented Tongay with a life membership.

Newly installed president Bill Monical expressed his hopes for the coming year. Officers for 1996-97 are: Monical, president; Jerry McDonald, secretary; treasurer, Ken Shambro and Bobby Patton, vice presidents; The Rev. Bob Plorkowski, sergeant at arms; and Charles Meyer, chaplain.

Executive board members will include Kay Rollins, Karen Gambichler and Tongay.

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Dinner will be served from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Cost is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. Crafts will be sold at the bazaar starting at 9 a.m. They will consist of items for all holiday seasons especially Christmas. Jellies and desserts will also be sold.

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New Eagles Members — Four new members were initiated at the Sept. 10 meeting of the Granite City Eagles Auxiliary 1126. Pictured, from left, are Leslie Brown, Elaine Petty, President Susan Allen, Dawn Valente, and Cynthia Woodard.

Briefly

Retired personnel meet
Retired office personnel, Granite City School District No. 9, had their October meeting at Ninth Street Abbey. Those attending were: Barbara Larner, Marge Burdge, Wanda Kutza, Dorothy Larner, Millie Chandler, June Schneider, Lucille Caban, Harriet Mercer, Frieda Andrews, Marcella Pilcher, Helen Favier, Vivian Hillen, and Helen Toncoff.

Show slated
The Metro-East Bottle and Jar Association will hold its 25th Annual Show and Sale from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 3. It will be held at the Gateway Center in Collinsville. Dealers from several states will be in attendance offering old bottles, insulators, fruit jars, advertising, stoneware, sodas, inks, milks, etc. Admission is \$1 for adults and children are free. For further information, call (618) 224-7353 or (618) 234-8736.



Scholarship fund — Jericho Lodge No. 120 Free and Accepted Masons of Madison, affiliated with the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Illinois, recently donated \$2,167 to the Bro. Wade E. James Memorial Scholarship Fund, which provides financial support to graduates of Madison and Venice high schools. The fund, organized nine years ago, was recently named for James, who was instrumental in establishing the fund but who died last month, by order of Worshipful Master Min. Bro. Dwight Woods Sr. with the consent of the craft. The recent contribution came from friends and family in memory of James. Future contributions can be made payable to Jericho Lodge No. 120 and mailed to Mrs. Hilda James, 630 Broadway, Venice. Pictured from left are, front row: P.M. G. Tyus Jr., Hilda James and W.M.D. Woods; back row: P.M. L. Petterson, P.M. D. Turner Jr., Bro. C. Johnson Sr., Bro. J. Perkins, and S.W. A. Ware.

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SCHOOL NEWS

Debney completes Eagle Scout project

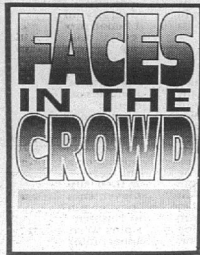
Karl Debney, son of Colonel Charles and Marge Debney, completed his Eagle Scout Project on Aug. 19.

To complete his Eagle Project, Karl showed great leadership. He planned, developed, and organized a project of help his community. Karl chose to paint, stain, and clean up a picnic area at the Charles Melvin Price Support Center. His project first had to be approved by Scoutmaster Milan Babic, Troop 13 committee, and Cahokia Mounds District, Trail West Council. Then he needed to organize and get the necessary supplies for the project and recruit the boys from his troop to help.

Karl began the project on Aug. 25. He recruited his parents, 15 boy scouts, and two scout masters all from Troop 13 of St. Elizabeth.

The boys stained the outside of the building, prepared the bathrooms and kitchen walls for paint, painted the walls and doors, and cleaned up the barbecue grill pits.

His project took many hours of planning and effort. A total of 15 boys and four adults spent 145 hours completing the project. The last day Lt. Col. Chong inspected the workmanship and commended the boys on their work.



Below left, the crew who helped Karl Debney complete his Eagle Scout project were, from left, Col. Debney, Kevin Landcaster, Bryan Fornachon, Steve Geroff, William Kurowsky, Daniel Worthen, Brian Dittman, Marge Debney, Kyle Johnson, Karl Debney, and Lt. Col. Chong. Not pictured are Gary Huges, Larry Wiegand Jr., Matt George, John Smith, Charles Debney, Eric Iles, and Tim Limp. At left, Karl Debney, left, and Lt. Col. Chong.

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ENTERTAINMENT

'Ghost and Darkness' thriller

Another bridge. Another continent. Like "The Bridge on the River Kwai," which it resembles superficially, "The Ghost and the Darkness" conveys movie adventure of a high order.

It almost seemed that film-makers had forgotten how to make David Lean's brand of sweeping epic that brought greatness to the screen. Australia's Stephen Hopkins shows that it can still be done.

Hopkins has combined a tightly written script, two superior actors and stunning African vistas into a film that is breathtaking in its beauty and thrilling with suspense.

"The Ghost and the Darkness" is part adventure, part horror story. Based on actual happenings, it tells of the terror inflicted on a railroad-building crew by man-eating lions. By artful use of the camera, often showing only the eyes of the marauders in the windswept grasses, Hopkins builds suspense to an almost unbearable degree.

In 1896, soldier-engineer John Patterson (Val Kilmer) is hired to build a bridge over the Tsavo river in East Africa to complete a railroad line vitally needed by the British in

their competition with the Germans and French over colonial territory.

Though his wife is pregnant, he leaps at the opportunity. Visiting Africa has been a life-long dream.

"Nothing works here," Tsavo is the worst place in the world," Patterson is told on arriving at the site. The analysis seems correct. The work force is composed of Africans and Indians, both Hindu and Moslem, and the factions are in constant discord.

Patterson manages to convert the laborers into a reasonably effective work force, and the bridge building proceeds on schedule. Then trouble erupts. The man-eaters strike at night, at first claiming one or two victims, then more on murderous rampages.

Fires are lighted, fences built, traps set and Patterson manages to slay a lion. The workers are jubilant, and work continues. But the danger returns: two more lions invade the camp, causing more deaths than before. The terrified workers call them The Ghost and The Darkness.

Help is needed, and it arrives in the person of Charles Remington (Michael

Douglas), a grizzled, shaggy-haired hunter and soldier of fortune. He devises cunning plans, but all of them fail. After the lions have slain more than 100 victims, the workers crowd onto a train and flee.

Now Patterson and Remington are left alone with the faithful guide (John Kani), and they face the climactic battle between man and beast.

Val Kilmer fits the role of the determined Patterson to perfection. He is calm, decisive, brave without a hint of macho. Another step forward for a remarkably varied career.

Though he draws top billing, Michael Douglas appears in about a third of the movie. He makes every minute count, creating a portrait of a fearless, totally confident free spirit. He also served as co-executive producer.

"The Ghost and the Darkness" is a Paramount Pictures release produced by Gale Anne Hurd, Paul Radin and A. Kilman Ho. William Goldman wrote the admirably spare script. The rating is R for suspense and gore. Running time: 109 minutes.

— Associated Press

'Long Kiss' lacks reality

Would you believe that the federal government contains a secret spy cadre called Chapter that acts as a death squad to eliminate its former agents? That the group conducts terrorist attacks inside the United States and blames them on foreigners in order to win more funding for Chapter?

If you can swallow such whoppers and love to watch explosions and random killings, then "The Long Kiss Goodnight" is just the movie entertainment for you.

If, however, you prefer credibility in your plots and maybe a wee bit of humanity, stay away.

"The Long Kiss Goodnight" tells you something about today's movie business. Shane Black's screenplay set a record for its time when it was bought for \$4 million.

The credits list six people as producer or executive producer. The director and star are the husband-and-wife team Ronnie Harlin and Geena Davis, whose last expensive outing, "Cutthroat Island," sank immediately.

Not that "The Long Kiss Goodnight" doesn't have a few redeeming qualities. The killers have a cavalier air as they go about their business. The dialogue often crackles, despite occasional lines that evoke unsolicited laughter. The film's biggest asset is Samuel L. Jackson, who can view the events with a cynical humor as the only outsider.

The New Line Cinema release was produced by Harlin, Stephanie Austin and Shane Black. The film opened Friday. Running time: 2 hours.

— Associated Press

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Wednesday, Oct. 23
The Pisces moon allows you to sort out those feelings so you can soon move on to a new personal phase. The wisdom of a Pisces moon can also be used to move relationships on to their next phase. Platonic relationships could turn romantic, and vice versa. Spiritual connections get stronger. Inhibition is sharpened. Resolve to handle all obstacles in an intuitive, creative manner.
ARIES (March 21-April 19): Someone you are dealing with is stalling for time. Diets, exercise and sports are successful. Recent disagreements with a love are not important and should be forgotten. Play hard to get with a friend.
Taurus (April 20-May 20): You are overly sensitive to

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criticism. A co-worker truly wants to help. Send letters, memos or proposals. Cooperation is necessary to complete a creative project. Get help with

domestic duties. You can handle anything.
GEMINI (May 21-June 21): Take time to sort out priorities. You must delegate responsibilities. Child-care facilities solve problems for mothers. Consider returning to school, at least part time. A Pisces enlists your skills for a social event.
CANCER (June 22-July 22): A current rumor is untrue. Use logic, as everyone around you is reacting emotionally. New exhilaration from creative projects spurs you on to more ambitious goals. Your lover asks for more, and you've been holding back.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You get more assistance from acquaintances than from your friends. You must budget your

time more carefully. Teens need to see you and be with you. Step-children change their minds. Be careful not to act out of pride.
TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Oct. 23): Charge ahead, as you've a green light for big projects and self-improvement efforts in November. A promotion at work is in the bag. The holidays leave you rolling in cash in December, but save for personal goals in January, when you have places to go. True love seeks you out in March, and by July you could be married to a Pisces or Capricorn.
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Confusing circumstances put you on the defensive. Restore your confidence by keeping your word no matter how difficult it is. Well-known people

admire your work and style. A Leo resists your attempts to help.
LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You are influential and savvy. Massive budget cuts at work have you worried, but you will not be affected. Socialize with business associates, though you don't see the benefit yet. Return telephone calls.
SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Surprises enhance your creativity. Emulate people who have jobs you want. A callous friend is not worthy of your friendship. You dazzle the crowd at a social gathering. You attract Leo and Aquarius admirers.
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Take steps to move into a more satisfying career. Women receive special help from

management. Men gain from camaraderie at work. Artists get needed encouragement. Referrals are gladly given to you.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Hasty decisions seem rash but are well thought out. Stifle a temptation to settle for short-term gains. If you leave your present job, you will be bombarded with offers. A Leo involves you in a weird scenario.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Someone is playing favorites. It is not your imagination. Pertinent questions get to the bottom of problems.
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): You have difficulty presenting yourself. Take a self-help class or seminar to boost your confidence.

Cardinals have played in many World Series, making history

By Kevin Carbery
Staff writer

Let's not even talk about what the Cardinals did last Thursday.
Instead, I'd rather recall the times when the team made it to the World Series and compiled the second-best championship record in Major League Baseball history.
I hope that Cards fans realize how fortunate we have been to have one of the most successful teams in the

major. No team can compare to the New York Yankees, as any student of the game knows, but the National League squad with the most World Series championships is the St. Louis Cardinal ballclub. St. Louis has won nine championships out of the team's 15 World Series appearances.
The Cardinals have been part of some of the most interesting and exciting World Series games ever played. In the team's first World Series appearance in 1925, the

Cards defeated the Yankees in seven games. This was the series with the famous confrontation between St. Louis pitcher Grover Cleveland Alexander and Yankee second baseman Tony Lazzeri. With the bases loaded in the seventh inning of the seventh game, Alexander came in from the bullpen and struck out Lazzeri. It happened long before my father was even born, but hearing about it is still thrilling to me.
The 1934 World Series between the Redbirds and the Detroit Tigers was full of madcap moments as the Gas House Gang had players like Dizzy Dean, Pepper Martin and Leo Durocher. The Cardinals won the series in seven games, but not before Detroit fans pelted Joe Medwick with garbage

because he had gotten into a fight with Marv Owen of the Tigers in the final game.
St. Louis also won the 1946 championship in seven games. It was the series where Enos Slaughter scored all the way from first in the eighth inning of the seventh game. This is the kind of thing I like to think of as the Cardinal legacy. The St. Louis image is of a hustling team with players not afraid to get their uniforms dirty.
In the '60s we had the exciting World Series units that included Bob Gibson, Lou Brock and Ken Boyer, among others. The squads of the '80s continued the tradition of the running Redbirds.
So, while Thursday was a downer, remember, it could be worse. You could be a Cubs fan. Let's see how much you

know about the Cardinals' World Series appearances.
1. How was the last out of the 1926 World Series made?
2. In the second game of the 1982 series, whose bases-loaded walk drove in the winning run in a 5-4 Cardinal victory?
3. Which Detroit Tiger pitcher won three games in the 1968 series?
4. When Tom Lawless hit a homer in the 1987 series, it made how many for his Major League career?
5. Stan Musial played in which first World Series in which year?
6. Who was named the Most Valuable Player of the 1964 World Series?
7. Who was the manager of the Redbirds when they played in the 1930 and 1931 World Series?

8. Who was manager of the 1964 Cards?
9. Who was the Kansas City runner who made it to first base on umpire Don Denkinger's horrible call in the sixth game of the 1985 series?
10. Which St. Louis pitcher won three games in the 1946 World Series?
ANSWERS: 1. Babe Ruth was thrown out trying to steal second base. Not a real bright move. 2. Steve Braun. 3. Mickey Lolich. 4. It was his second. 5. In 1942, his rookie season. 6. Bob Gibson. 7. Gabby Street. 8. Johnny Keane. 9. Jorge Orta. 10. Harry "The Cat" Brecheen. (Kevin Carbery can be heard as a member of "The KMOX Trivia Party" radio show from 8 to 11 p.m. Sundays on KMOX (1120).

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A dinner/dance will be held on Saturday, Oct. 26 at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Marine Road.
Social hour is from 6 to 7 p.m.
Dinner will be served from 7 to 8:30 p.m. and dancing to the music of David Dee and the Hot Tracks will be from 8:30 to 12:30 p.m.
Donations are \$30 per person. For ticket information, call Jeniece or Winston Brown at 656-0811, Shirley or Houston Lowery at 656-3789 or Roberta Spiller at 656-1353.
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Consider this: If you fully funded your IRA since 1974 with the maximum allowable amount, regardless of whether the contributions were deductible or not, you would have more than \$100,000 today if you earned an annual 8 percent rate of return. Yet despite their tremendous potential as wealth builders, IRAs are too often underutilized and undermanaged.

If you fully funded your IRA when your contributions were deductible and then stopped once the rules changed, you are not alone. The Tax Reform Act of 1986 sharply curtailed the deductibility of IRAs for many middle and high-income taxpayers. As a result, IRA contributions plummeted from a peak of \$38.8 billion in 1986



Brian Mulhall

to approximately \$10.4 billion in recent years. It's a sad misunderstanding that many people are under the impression that if they are not eligible to deduct for an IRA, that they cannot contribute to an IRA. That is wrong. You can set up or contribute to an IRA if you have taxable compensation during the year and have not reached age 70 1/2 by the end of the year.

Compensation includes wages, salaries, tips, commissions, fees, bonuses, and taxable alimony and separate maintenance payments. You may also be able to set up an IRA for your spouse.

I encourage every reader to

get Publication 590, Individual Retirement Arrangements, from the Internal Revenue Service. Order it by calling the IRS at 1-800-829-1040, or talk with your tax preparer, bank, post office, etc. In this publication you will find a wealth of information about IRAs.

One reason some working Americans forgo making an IRA contribution is that the taxation of non-deductible IRA contributions can be an area of confusion. IRS form 8606, which tracks non-deductible IRA contributions, distributions and basis, is simpler to complete than you may think.

Certainly the potential to generate extra tens of thousands in tax-deferred dollars is worth a little effort to complete the necessary paperwork. If you do not want to mix non-deductible contributions with deductible contributions, open a new IRA account and separate the two. The second part of IRA lethargy deals with how possibly your IRA assets have been invested. Many times, IRA assets have been invested the same way for years

without thought to changing market conditions.

Think back to the decision you made, perhaps decades ago, regarding your own IRA. Maybe you put your contribution into one mutual fund year after year and have never investigated whether the fund's style has evolved or your objections have changed. Or perhaps your local bank has rolled over your IRA automatically into another certificate of deposit every few years with no thought given to prevailing interest rates.

Whether your IRA holds only a few thousand dollars or much more, you can take two immediate steps to increase its value: 1. Resume yearly contributions. 2. Actively manage your account.

If you expect your IRA to become a viable means of support during your retirement, you have to take an active role in managing these assets. As your IRA is the classic long-term investment, you might consider moving a portion of your assets into securities that have performed well as a group over the long-term.

Historically, equities (growth accounts), despite their short-term volatility, have outperformed other sectors over the long-term. A strong case can be made that every retirement portfolio should include a selection of equities to counter the effect of inflation.

However, determining which investment is right for you requires careful analysis of the type of investor you are, matching your feeling toward risk and reward with specific investment choices.

The bottom line: Take care of your IRA by sustaining it with yearly contributions and nurturing it with appropriate investments.

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St. Clair County Business Exposition slated

The St. Clair County Business Exposition will be held from 3 to 9 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 24, at the Elks Lodge, 1481 S. Illinois in Belleville.

The St. Clair County Business Exposition will offer individuals an opportunity to learn more about business opportunities, grant funds, area chamber support and more.

The St. Clair County Business Exposition Joint Planning Committee includes six sponsoring communities: Belleville, Fairview Heights, Lebanon, Scott Air Force Base, Shiloh and Swansea, as well as the RCGA, offering all attendees an overview of St. Clair County.

Two dynamic guests will speak between 3 and 4 p.m. on addressing the growth of St. Clair County.

Robert Coverdale, St. Clair County director of transportation, will speak about the latest developments at Mid-America Airport. Coverdale served in the U.S. Air Force for more than 32 years, retiring as vice commander in chief. His military decorations include the Defense Distinguished Service Medal and the Republic of Vietnam Gallantry Cross with palm.

Tim Monger, senior vice president of economic development for the St. Louis Regional Commerce and Growth Association, will discuss RCGA plans as they relate to St. Clair County.

The Elks Lodge in Belleville, one block south of Illinois 150 on Illinois 150 offers easy, accessible parking. Numerous restaurants, serving generous samples of cuisine, will offer guests a tasty diversion as they explore the entire exhibit floor. Prizes will be awarded to guests and include a package with a two-night stay in St. Clair County.

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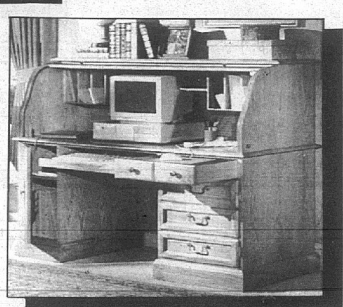


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Food & Nutrition

Wise Ways

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Heart-y Bites

Food prepared in grandmother's kitchen tastes better.

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Blue Ribbon Cook

From dressing to crunch, apples add sweet, winning tang to slaw.

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Test Run

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Micro Raves

Prolific acorn squash's hard exterior hides flavorful, colorful sign of autumn.

INSIDE

Lively Taste

Rice pilaf often relies on extra oil and melted butter for flavor. Instead, heat 1 cup uncooked long grain rice in nonstick saucepan coated with nonstick cooking spray about 5 minutes, stirring occasionally, until light brown. Stir in 1-1/2 cups chopped onion, 1 cup dry white wine or apple juice, 1 teaspoon leaf thyme and 1/2 teaspoon pepper. Cook 2 minutes until liquid evaporates. Stir in 1 cup additional broth. Cook, stirring occasionally, about 5 minutes until liquid evaporates and rice is tender.

Health & Fitness

Medicine Chest

Changing viruses precipitate annual trek for a flu shot.

INSIDE

Fresh Picks

A baked apple is a microwave marvel. Core an apple without cutting all the way through. Peel one-third the way down from stem end. Combine 1 tablespoon brown sugar and 1/2 teaspoon butter or margarine. Fill center of apple. Sprinkle with cinnamon. Microwave 2 to 2-1/2 minutes on high power. Vary filling with raisins and nuts, breakfast cereal, sausage and oatmeal, sugar and oatmeal, pancake syrup and raisins, cheddar cheese, red hot or peppermint candies, coconut and caramel, hazelnuts and chocolate chips, or cranberry sauce. In conventional oven, bake with a few tablespoons water in bottom of pan in preheated 350° oven 45 to 50 minutes.

Big Fat Tip

A chicken salad sandwich holds as much fat as desired. Start with 12 ounces cooked skinless chicken breast, 1/3 cup diced celery and 1/3 cup chopped fresh dill. Add 1/2 cup fat-free dressing. Divided into four (1/2-cup) portions, each serving has 3 grams fat and about 200 calories with fat-free sour cream, 250 with fat-free mayonnaise. Two tablespoons chopped pecans adds 1 gram fat and 25 calories to each serving. Replacing half the dressing with reduced-fat sour cream adds 1 gram fat and 10 calories, with reduced-fat mayonnaise adds 5 grams fat and 40 calories per 1/2-cup serving.

Future Shop

A hot item among college students and late shift workers is the vending machine with refrigerated and frozen food. It expands eating possibilities when pizza parlors close at night and cafeteria workers catch their Zs. Patrons determine which foods these 24-hour-a-day food-delivery systems carry. Like traditionally cheesy pizza and crusty potpie, low-fat items are available, too.

Food for thought

A student in 1951 digs into her school lunch of tomato soup, egg salad sandwich, freshly baked cake and a bottle of milk.



By Janice Denham
Staff writer

Some people remember learning to eat at school. Oh, sure, they ate foods their mothers put on the table as soon as their dads got home from work, but fish sticks and chili, even sauerkraut and tortillas were in a new class for people whose families would not allow them in the kitchen.

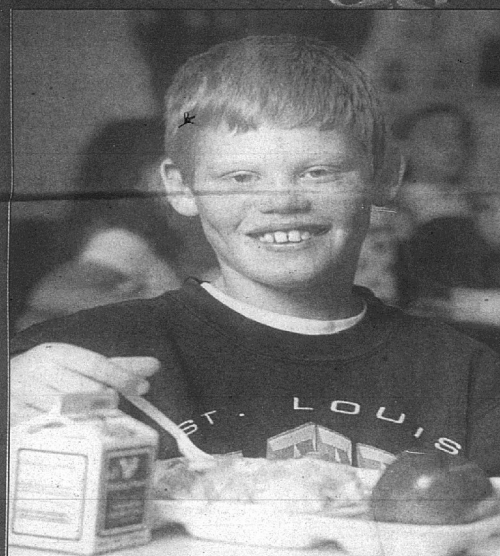
By 1959 almost half of the nation's schools -- which abhorred hunger from war devastation and economic depression -- had set up some type of food service operation using federal funding. Usually volunteer moms dished out the food.

In 1966 the Child Nutrition Act helped expand the program. Funding to feed needy children and acquire equipment to serve meals was offered. In the 1970s the U.S. Department of Agriculture implemented nutrition requirements. Officially this year marks the 50th anniversary of the lunch program. Last year the School Breakfast Program celebrated its 20th birthday.

Today 6.4 million children are served breakfast and 26 million are served lunch each day.

School kitchen staffs often deal in distribution rather than cooking, as large schools streamlined operations to deliver food from a central cooking facility.

At the same time, competition from fast-food restaurants -- and peer expectations -- turn lunch providers into marketing strategists. Salad bars, yogurt stations and pizza days complete head-on



Rick Graetz photo

Today's school lunch serves more fruits, vegetables and grains and less fat, cholesterol and sodium in ways children like to eat. Salad bars and lower-fat hot dogs, burritos and pizza toppings are standard offerings. Here Craig Berry is ready to eat lunch at the Parkway District's Oak Brook School.

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FUEL FOR SCHOOL

As part of their menus, school food directors offer milk for its high protein, calcium, riboflavin and potassium content.

One cup (8 ounces) milk is considered a serving for a child in kindergarten through high school, but 1 cup yogurt or 1-1/2 slices (1-1/2 ounces) cheese also qualifies.

Children who eat breakfast can listen to a teacher better, because they do not hear their stomachs rumble. They score better on tests and are tardy and absent less.

A bowl of cereal with milk and fruit qualifies as a decent breakfast. On another morning, toast 1 slice whole wheat or oatmeal bread. Spread with 2 teaspoons peach or strawberry preserves or applesauce. Top with 1/2 slice turkey ham, 1 slice canned pineapple and 1 slice cheese. Set on paper plate. Microwave about 30 seconds until cheese just starts to melt. This open-faced

sandwich also can be baked on a jellyroll pan 5 minutes in a preheated 400° oven.

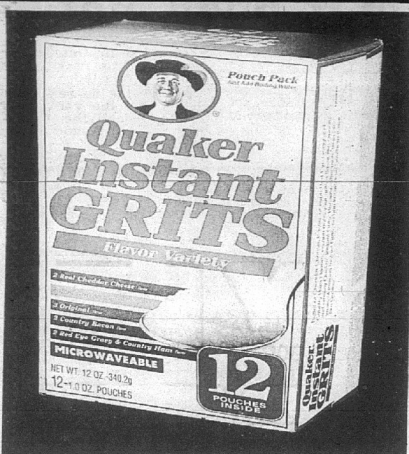
For other recipes -- "Smart Starts" -- to fix at home, send 25 cents and a self-addressed, stamped, business-size envelope to: National Dairy Council, Department ROP/Breakfast Recipes, 10255 W. Higgins Road, Suite 900, Rosemont, Ill. 60018.

Kids' Cuisine

Rick Tucker Graphic

Today's Food

Test Run



Savory flavors are packed with original grits in individual portions.

Folks pick grits by flavor packet

The line for grits usually forms to the south, but displaced grits-lovers roam far north of the Mason-Dixon line.

Last week's test of Quaker instant grits provided original, plus savory samplings — cheddar cheese, real butter, country bacon, and red eye gravy and country ham flavors.

A pack of 12 individual pouches costs \$1.99 at Dieberg's. Twelve-pack boxes of all-original or all-butter flavored instant grits are also available at other local markets.

Testers overall thought the product might find a niche in some people's kitchens. Those who miss the specialty of the South and eat in single portions might be first in line to savor them. The plain flavors with individual additions gained the most compliments.

"Those grits were great. I'm a grits fan and thought they were as good as any I've had, very easy to prepare, too," a tester said. She added salt, plenty of pepper and an individual package of butter flavoring to a packet of original grits.

Another grits fan thought the texture and consistency were surprisingly good for an instant product. She tried the cheese grits.

"I'm used to garlic cheese grits and would probably add a bit of garlic to the grits if I tried the same thing again. Maybe that would enhance the cheese flavor to my liking," she said.

If served as a breakfast food, she favored the individual packets, but her family eats grits as a side dish instead of potatoes, so the instant grits would be impractical for her family of four with two growing sons.

Another tester was surprised at how quickly the grits reconstituted.

"I guess I'm used to oatmeal, where it takes just a couple minutes to get them to texture. All I did was heat the milk, add the grits and they were ready to eat instantly," she said.

"I liked the bacon one better. It had lots of salty-bacon flavor with little bits of imitation bacon. The country ham flavor had more grits 'feel' and kind of a weaker meat flavor," she said. All flavors of the grits had about 100 calories per packet.

Another tester called grits "a fun change of pace" for breakfast. "The grits were good. I had the original. Even though it was the unflavored variety, it had a good flavor."

Micro Raves

Squash significant to autumn

By BETTY SERATI

Autumn brings a change in activities. Families pick apples instead of strawberries and kids play soccer instead of baseball. The scenery changes, too, to crimson leaves and golden mums, instead of bright sunflowers and pink roses.

Just as noticeable is the transformation in food. Hot soothing soups and stews replace chicken and ribs from the grill.

A big indication of this seasonal transition is the fresh produce seen in grocery stores and produce stands. Apples dominate the colorful fruits, but the squash aisle looks dramatically different, too.

Zucchini, in July prolific as baby buns, becomes scarce, while hard-shelled winter squashes flourish.

The most famous winter squash is pumpkin, which has its own aura. A popular winter squash used as a meal accompaniment is the acorn squash.

Acorn squash is shaped like a small, dark green pumpkin. The meat inside is deep orange in color. Its

flavor is delicious, not strong, making it ideal for blending with other flavors or for stuffing. Brown sugar enhances its sweetness.

A conventional oven bakes an acorn squash in no less than an hour. In a microwave oven, cooking takes about 7 minutes per pound.

Versatile acorn squash can be prepared many ways. The hard shell always must be punctured in some way before cooking to prevent steam building up inside. The easiest way to do this is to cut the squash in half, then scrape the seeds and fibers inside the solid flesh. This is a much easier job before cooking, rather than when the squash is hot and steamy.

Once the seeds and fibrous membranes are removed, the halves are placed cut-side down in a glass baking dish. Plastic wrap is placed over the top, but the hard shell provides a convenient covering to help the vegetable steam on its own. Microwave on

high power 7 minutes per pound until it can be pierced easily with a fork.

At that point, the imagination takes charge. The squash can be scooped out of the shells, combined with a small amount of butter, brown sugar and orange juice and mashed to the consistency of whipped potatoes. Serve it from a bowl or return it to the shells for serving.

Even simpler, place a pat of butter and a tablespoon of brown sugar into each cavity after cooking. A squash half can be a serving, or each half can be cut in smaller pieces to fit individual appetites.

Betty Serati specializes in microwave cooking.

PECAN APRICOT SQUASH

2 acorn squash (about 1 lb. each)

- ¾ cup buttery cracker crumbs
- ½ cup coarsely chopped pecans
- ½ cup butter or margarine, melted
- ¼ cup packed brown sugar
- ¼ tsp. nutmeg
- ½ cup apricot or other fruit preserves

Cut squash in half lengthwise. Remove seeds and fibrous membranes. Place cut-side down in glass baking dish. Cover with plastic wrap. Microwave on high power 6 minutes.

Toss together crumbs, pecans, butter, brown sugar and nutmeg.

Turn over partially cooked squash. Divide the filling among hollow sections of the halves. Top each with 1 tablespoon preserves.

Re-cover with plastic wrap. Cook on high power 6 to 8 minutes until squash is tender. Filling thickens upon standing. Makes 4 servings.

Heart-y Bites

By CHERYL HOUSTON

Nona turns her kitchen into classroom

My fondest childhood memories place me in the kitchen alongside "Nona," my grandmother. It was there she taught me about the world through food.

As a toddler I was a champion at tearing, breaking and snapping skills. She taught me to tear lettuce and greens for salad, breaking broccoli or carrots for snacking, and snapping garden-fresh green beans for cooking.

Nona transformed her kitchen into a classroom as she discussed colors, flavors, sounds, textures and shapes of different foods.

The lessons continued as I grew. Pouring sand while playing in the sandbox provided experience for pouring liquids at the table. Even though Nona gave me a small pitcher, my initial effort to stop pouring when the glass was full was too late.

Instead of being angry at the mess I made, she fashioned a homemade teaching tool using a glass and a rubber band. By placing a rubber band around the glass about two inches below the rim, she gave me a visual marker which taught me when to stop so

the liquid wouldn't overflow.

More complicated assignments — such as kneading bread dough, rolling out pie crust and filling homemade ravioli — were added as my culinary skills improved. With each new recipe, Nona would create an animated history lesson describing its origin and emphasizing its importance to our Italian culture.

While the results of my early efforts did not always merit an A-plus, Nona was always encouraging, because she knew there was no better way to learn about food than by smelling, feeling, growing, preparing, tasting and even sometimes wearing it. I re-created the lessons taught by my grandmother and transformed my kitchen into a classroom for my own children. I, too, try to be patient with their efforts, because I learned a child who scrubs a potato, helps cut it and, better yet, helps grow it rarely refuses to eat it at dinner time.

Making time to be with your children in the kitchen is a terrific opportunity to get a little extra help, have

fun and celebrate family togetherness.

This colorful slaw recipe comes from the American Heart Association's "Kids' Cookbook."

Registered dietitian Cheryl Houston is a member of the nutrition committee of the American Heart Association, St. Louis Chapter.

SUNSHINE SLAW

- 2 cups shredded carrot (4 to 6 medium)
- 2 cups shredded cabbage (about 1 small head, or a 1-lb. bag of shredded cabbage)
- 1 orange
- 1 carton (6 oz.) low-fat or lemon yogurt
- 1/8 tsp. salt
- 2 tbsp. unsalted, dry-roasted peanuts
- 1/2 cup mandarin oranges and don't have a bowl of sections in light syrup, drained

Place carrot and cabbage in medium bowl. Using clean hands, mix thoroughly. When finished, wash and dry hands.

Olives, 1 teaspoon dried basil and 1/2 teaspoon minced garlic. Heat over medium heat until hot.

Rinse unpeeled orange. Using grater, rub orange part of peel against small holes to form very fine pieces. Measure 1/4 teaspoon grated rind into small bowl. Add yogurt and salt to orange rind. Stir well with wooden spoon.

Add yogurt mixture to carrot-cabbage mixture. Stir until well combined. Add peanuts. Stir until all ingredients are completely mixed.

Drain orange in strainer. Measure 1/2 cup and add to carrot mixture. Gently mix in orange sections with rubber spatula, which helps keep the orange sections from breaking.

Serve immediately, or cover with plastic wrap and refrigerate until serving time.

Note: After grating orange peel, separate orange into sections. Wrap them with plastic wrap or place in small plastic bag. Refrigerate to enjoy later as a snack or dessert.

Makes five (1/2-cup) servings; 139 calories, 5 g protein, 19 g carbohydrate, 6 g fat (1 g saturated), 1 mg cholesterol and 95 mg sodium each.

Makes nine (1/2-cup) servings; 132 calories, 22 g carbohydrate, 8 g protein, 2 g fat, 149 mg sodium.

Food for Thought

Continued from page 1C, with traditions and implications to offer kids meals that help them learn.

USDA this year required schools to follow the Dietary Guidelines for Americans, with more emphasis on offering a variety of foods, particularly vegetables, fruits and grains; limiting total fat to 30 percent and saturated fat to 10 percent of calories; using salt and sodium in moderation; and choosing an eating pattern low in cholesterol. Computation of menus is over the course of a school week.

Although the program was supposed to be implemented at the beginning of the school year, states were allowed to offer a two-year waiver to let meal providers introduce the system in their school districts. Both Missouri and Illinois allowed the variance.

Hilda Rafferty, school food director for the Ritenour School District, is president this year of the

School Food and Nutrition Directors Association of St. Louis.

"In this area we have been on the track for some time, with support from the heart association and other groups that are very active with us in promoting healthy meals," she says.

A 30-year veteran of the effort to keep students healthy and ready to learn, Rafferty says, "This is a challenge in capital letters, but it is a good one. This is one of the best changes if it is just handled right."

Last spring Ellen Haas, undersecretary of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, visited the Ritenour School District to promote Team Nutrition, the government's effort to teach children about nutrition.

Rafferty was asked for her menu. When it was evaluated, it came in at 28.4 percent of fat from calories. That included turkey dogs and chicken nuggets, healthier variations of foods

kids love.

She sees meals offered at school as everyone's responsibility, from parent to server.

"Everybody's enemy is busy schedules. School food may not be part of what children learn from books, but it is part of their education," she says.

She is a pro at finding ways to entice children to participate in that learning process, from parents' and grandparents' days to inviting stars, like the principal or fire chief, to be servers.

"Kids are becoming more conscious of nutrition," Rafferty says. "Even my 4-year-old grandson recognizes the Team Nutrition logo. But it takes a combined consciousness from parents. Any day a parent calls and has a concern, I invite them over for lunch. After all, when any person cooks, it isn't going to be like Mom cooks it."

One solution is to cut portions of high-fat foods, like

french fries. Rafferty laughingly recalls that children usually tell their parents that their portion was only two french fries. On the other hand, a server who distributes a larger portion defeats the purpose of offering more healthful foods.

"When you offer more varieties of foods, kids usually surprise themselves with their choices. When they eat a smaller portion of french fries, they might pick some other fruit or vegetable," she says.

She wishes the federal requirements first had reached manufacturers who provide the overabundance of prepared foods, like chicken nuggets and french fries, which are not as palatable as vegetables.

"We'd be glad to help test some products to let them become aware of whether these things are palatable. If you let kids know what is going on, if you let kids have a voice in that, they

love to tell us," she says.

Cindy Reese, food director in the Mehlville School District, says the shift to better nutrition is a refinement of the overriding goal of feeding and nourishing children and helping them grow.

"Now we are looking at what foods help them do this better," she says.

Habits at home have a lot to do with what goes on at school.

"Years ago you could serve pot roast and kids knew what it was. Of course, parents want children to come to school and have a nutritious meal. Still, when they go home and don't have a bowl of fruit or vegetables to eat, they will go to the pantry for a bag of potato chips," she says.

One of the favorites developed at her schools is soup "with lots of good things in it," she says. It is the high school menu every day. A new menu

item this year is non-fried quesadillas, prepared with chicken and a moderate amount of low-fat cheese.

Teachers, Reese says, play a big part, too.

"Breakfast, which has to be supervised and needs a little time allowance from teachers, is becoming really successful," she says. "The kids like it because it makes them feel better in the morning, and teachers like it because they see the results."

Under the new requirements, schools must analyze their menus or tap into prepared outlines that already have evaluated them. For some, like Rafferty, this means moving the kitchen into the computer age.

"For some people, this is intimidating and time-consuming, but we have had support from the state in learning how to equip ourselves for the future," she says.

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Today's Food

Medicine Chest

By REBECCA COLEY

Flu shot combats yearly viruses in head-to-head match

It is an annual ritual. It is not as common as Halloween or Thanksgiving, it has many people who commit themselves to it. It is time to consider getting a flu shot for yourself or those in your care who are older, have chronic diseases or are particularly susceptible to the flu.

The flu, known also as influenza, is an infection of the respiratory tract caused by viruses. Although it may resemble a cold, influenza is typically a more severe illness.

Symptoms of influenza include fever, cough, sore throat, runny or stuffy nose, fatigue, headache and muscle aches. Adults usually recover completely in one to two weeks, but those weak from other conditions, like the elderly or those with lung disease, may develop pneumonia or other complications.

There are three types of influenza virus. In addition, these viruses can change from year to year, so they evade the protection of our immune system. Therefore, the vaccine is formulated each year for viral strains prevalent that year. Because it changes every year, it is necessary to be vaccinated every year.

Many cases of influenza can be prevented with the

vaccine. Patients, with chronic disease of the heart, lung or kidneys, diabetes, immunosuppression or severe forms of anemia are considered high risk, so they should consider vaccination. People in nursing homes and other long-term care facilities and those who work in health care should consider vaccination.

Very few people have

adverse reactions to the flu vaccine. However, those allergic to eggs should not be vaccinated, because the vaccine viruses are grown in hens' eggs. Mild side effects for anyone might include soreness at the site, a headache or low grade fever which lasts less than one day.

The vaccine in the U.S. is made with killed influenza viruses, so it cannot cause

infection. The vaccine prevents influenza in 70 to 90 percent of healthy adults who are vaccinated. Sometimes the vaccine does not work because of changes in a virus.

Prime influenza season is November to April. It takes 1 to 2 weeks after vaccination for antibodies to build up sufficiently to be effective. Therefore, those who want the vaccine should be

vaccinated in October or November to make sure they are protected.

To find the nearest location where the vaccine is available, call the American Lung Association, 314-645-5505.

Registered dietitian Rebecca Coley is assistant professor of pharmacy administration at Saint Louis College of Pharmacy.

Recipe

EASY ROAST CHICKEN

1 whole chicken (about 4 lb.)
8 carrots, cut in bite-size pieces
1 small onion, chopped
1 cup uncooked rice
1/2 cup white wine
2 tsp. ground ginger
1 tsp. tarragon
Preheat oven to 325°. Coat roaster with nonstick cooking spray.
Remove giblets and visible fat from chicken. Sprinkle inside with ginger. Stuff chicken with as many carrots as fit.
In saucpan, bring rice, chopped onion and water to boil. Pour into bottom of prepared roaster. Place chicken on top of rice mixture. Arrange remaining carrot around chicken. Pour wine over chicken. Sprinkle with tarragon. Cover pot.
Roast chicken in preheated oven 2 to 3 hours until legs move easily. Flesh gives when pressed or interior of chicken reaches 180° to 185°.

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FEELING FIT
By Mark Lymeropoulos

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What happens when you give up red meat and take in more fiber? You probably need more minerals.

If your knees hurt when bicycling (or after), check the seat height. Your leg should be almost fully extended on the downstroke, with only the ball of the foot on the pedal.

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Pop into evening of fun with family-favored treat

People who were youngsters in the 1960s may remember Sunday evenings at home when the family gathered around the television to watch popular shows, like "Bonanza" or "Wonderful World of Disney."

Often there was a fire in the fireplace and mom popped a batch of buttery popcorn to enjoy with crisp, fall apples and chunks of cheddar cheese.

Today's families gather around the home entertainment center for an evening of television, computer or video action. Popcorn is still a part of these family traditions, either popped in a big pan on top of the stove or prepared in its own bag in a microwave oven.

COCONUT HONEY POPCORN BALLS

3 qt. popped popcorn
¾ cup coconut, toasted
½ cup honey
1 tsp. cinnamon
Pinch salt
3 tbsp. butter or

margarine

Line shallow pan with aluminum foil. Place popped popcorn in pan. Keep warm in 250° oven.

Spread coconut in shallow baking pan. Toast coconut in oven, stirring once, 8 to 10 minutes.
Combine honey, cinnamon and salt in small saucepan. Heat to boil. Boil 2 to 2½ minutes, stirring constantly. Add butter. Stir until melted.

Pour honey mixture over popcorn. Add coconut. Toss to coat well.

To make ball, place 1 cup mixture in center of 8-inch square of plastic wrap. Shape into ball. Twist wrap and tie securely.

Makes about 10 popcorn balls.

Recipe

SUN-DRIED TOMATO CHEESE PUFFS

24 round cheese crackers
1 cup (4 oz.) shredded part-skim mozzarella cheese
¼ cup chopped sun-dried tomato
¾ cup milk

2 tbsp. chopped fresh parsley
1 tbsp. chopped fresh or 1 tsp. dried leaf basil
4 eggs, beaten
2 tbsp. grated parmesan cheese

Preheat oven to 350°. Lightly grease muffin cups. Place 2 crackers in each muffin cup. Evenly divide and top with mozzarella

cheese and tomato.

In large bowl, blend milk, parsley, basil and eggs. Pour evenly over cheese layer. Sprinkle with parmesan cheese.
Bake in preheated oven 30 to 35 minutes until puffed and golden brown. Let stand 5 minutes. Loosen edges. Remove from pan. Serve warm. Makes 12 snacks.

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Today's Food

Wise Ways

By MARY SCHROEPFER

Freezer shortcuts path to doughy pizza, daisy

Today's convenience foods offer old-fashioned flavors without breaking out a single spoon or mixing bowl.

Simply reach for frozen bread or rolls to create everything from calzone to bagels. Frozen dough gives the flavor and aroma of homemade without the measuring, mixing, kneading and cleanup required with "scratch" baking.

Sue Peterson, consumer representative with Rhodes International, says frozen dough is a popular shortcut for busy consumers, who use it to create everything from pizza and bread sticks to bread sculpture and campfire cooking.

Frozen dough can be defrosted easily overnight in a refrigerator, or in a few minutes in a microwave oven.

To thaw in a refrigerator, simply coat a loaf pan with nonstick cooking spray and place the frozen loaf in the center. Cover the frozen loaf with plastic wrap sprayed with nonstick cooking spray to keep the dough from sticking while rising. Place frozen dough in the refrigerator 6 to 8 hours.

To thaw rolls in a microwave, place 6 frozen rolls on a plate. Cover with plastic wrap and microwave on high power 25 seconds. Rotate dish, turn over rolls and microwave 25 seconds

longer.

At this point, frozen dough can be reshaped into "fun" designs like snowmen, daisies, bread sticks, pretzels, bears or allowed to rise and bake like, well, bread.

Those who are careful about sodium should note that frozen bread dough carries an unusually large amount of it. Salt controls how the yeast grows and multiplies through the freezing process.

For more information on using frozen dough, contact Rhodes Bake-N-Serve Recipes, Box 25487, Salt Lake City, Utah 84125, or call toll-free 1-800-876-7333. Ask for a free 11-page recipe

book, "Easy Recipes for Frozen Roll and Bread Dough."

Frozen dough can be used to create this easy soup bowl which will "wow" guests at the next tailgate party or fall housewarming. Each serving equals at least 3 slices of hearty bread.

Home economist Mary Schroepfer is food and nutrition specialist with University Extension (University of Missouri system) in Franklin County.

EASY SOUP BOWL

1 loaf (1 lb.) wheat bread dough

1 tbsp. sesame seeds, crushed sunflower seeds or chopped nuts

1 egg white, beaten with 1 tablespoon water

Thaw dough until soft,

about 5 hours at room temperature or overnight in refrigerator.

Cut loaf in thirds. Form each third into ball. Place on cookie sheet coated with nonstick cooking spray. Cover with plastic wrap that also has been sprayed. Let rise until double.

Preheat oven to 350°.

Place seeds in shallow plate.

Brush each ball with beaten egg white mix. Roll

each ball in seeds or nuts until coated.

Bake in preheated oven 25 minutes or until golden brown.

Cool. Slice off top and hollow out bread. Just before serving, fill with favorite soup. Hollowed bread also may be filled with low-fat dip.

Makes 3 bowls; 330 calories, 6 g fat, no cholesterol, 840 mg sodium, 72 g carbohydrate and 9 g dietary fiber (using whole wheat bread) each.

Tip: Use soft bread chunks in dressing, bread pudding or cheese fondue, or serve with soup or dip.

Recipe

PINEAPPLE-GLAZED CARROTS

$\frac{1}{2}$ cup firmly packed brown sugar
1 tsp. cornstarch
1/8 tsp. nutmeg
1 cup pineapple juice

1 lb. carrots, peeled, cut in thin diagonal slices
 $\frac{1}{4}$ cup ($\frac{1}{2}$ stick) butter or margarine

Shake brown sugar, cornstarch and nutmeg in regular size (10-by-14-inch) cooking bag. Place in 12-by-8-inch baking dish. Add

pineapple juice and carrots. Turn to mix. Dot with butter.

Close bag with nylon tie. Make 6 half-inch slits in top.

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2 cups shredded cabbage
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 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup chopped celery
2 tbsp. chopped walnuts
2 tsp. raisins
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup low-fat or nonfat mayonnaise
2 tsp. unsweetened apple juice
1 tsp. honey

Combine cabbage, apple, celery, walnuts and raisins. Toss well.

In small bowl, combine mayonnaise, apple juice and honey, stirring well. Pour over cabbage mixture. Mix well.

Cover and chill at least 30 minutes.

Beverly Manning, Pevely, is this week's winner of dinner certificates to the Pasta House Co. for Waldorf Slaw.

This recipe combines two of her favorite salads. To lower its fat, she substitutes nonfat mayonnaise and uses fewer nuts than a basic recipe. She also replaces sugar with honey.

Recipes for the annual Cookie Recipe Contest should be postmarked by Oct. 31. Send an entry to: Cookie Recipe Contest, Suburban Journals, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131.

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ty, although the recipe need not be original. Double-check directions and specific amounts, giving variations that individualize the recipe.

If possible, tell where the recipe came from and give specific information about special touches that give it a personal signature. Indicate which *Journal* newspaper you receive.

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Tenderize beef steak; savor aroma in update

PIPERADE

Do you sometimes want to snuggle up after dinner with the feeling of a dish that your mother or grandmother made? They filled the house with aromas so tantalizing you could hardly wait until dinnertime.

These days cooking is accomplished so quickly there isn't time to make much less savor, those aromas. The weekend is a perfect time to enjoy an updated classic like Swiss Steak Pipedade. It requires little attention while it simmers in the oven.

Beef round steak is a less tender cut, so it needs to cook slowly "under cover" until fork tender. Mom would advise you not to rush the cooking, because raising the temperature to a boil makes beef tough.

So, relax, brown the beef, season it and simmer it, tightly covered, in an oven until it is tender.

Adding color and flavor to this updated classic is a piperade, a blend of tomatoes and sweet bell peppers. Rice or pasta and a green vegetable are simple accompaniments.

Round steak is an economical cut. Beef cuts with "round" in the name are among the leanest choices in the meat case.

- 1 3/4 lb. boneless beef round steak, cut 3/4 inch thick
- 1 tbsp. oil
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1/2 tsp. leaf thyme
- 1/4 tsp. pepper
- 1 large onion, chopped
- 1 to 2 medium jalapeno peppers, sliced 1/8 inch thick
- 1/4 cup water
- 4 medium tomatoes, chopped
- 1/2 green bell pepper, cut in 1 inch pieces
- 1/2 yellow bell pepper, cut in 1 inch pieces
- 3 cups cooked rice or pasta
- 1 tbsp. chopped fresh parsley, if desired

Preheat oven to 325°. In large ovenproof skillet or Dutch oven, heat oil over medium-high heat until hot. Brown steak on both sides. Pour off drippings, if necessary.

Season steak with salt, thyme and pepper. Top with onion and jalapeno pepper. Add water. Cover tightly. Simmer in preheated oven 45 minutes.

Add tomato and bell pepper. Cover. Continue cooking 30 minutes or until beef and vegetables are tender. Remove beef to warm platter.

On stovetop, cook sauce over high heat, stirring frequently, 8 to 10 minutes



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until reduced and slightly thickened. Return to sauce mixture. Trim fat from steak. Cut steak in serving-size pieces. Serve over rice or pasta.

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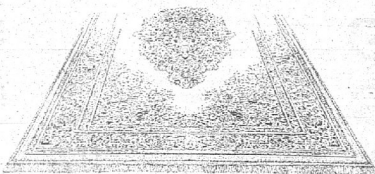
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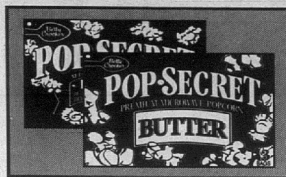
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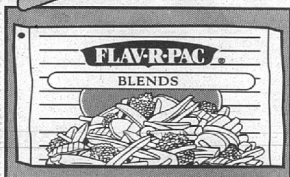
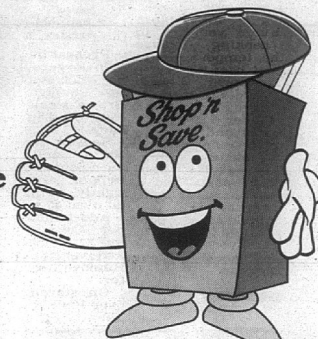
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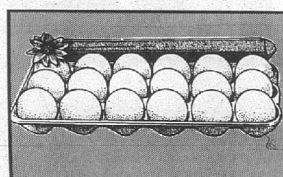
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Batteries** **189**

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Batteries** **229**
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**Kikkoman
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**Bush's
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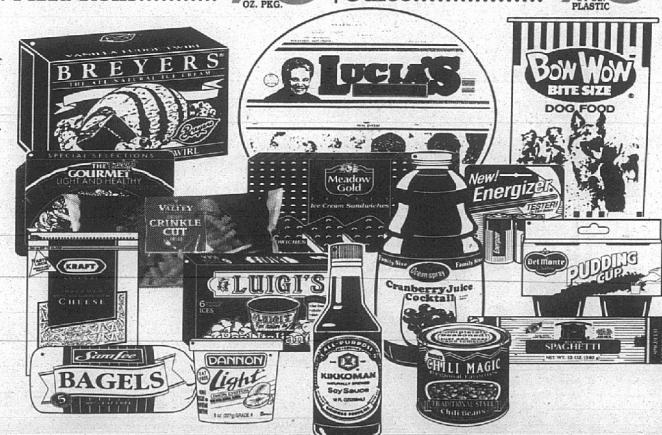
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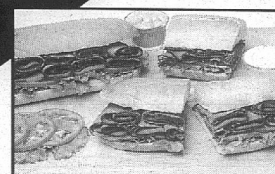
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Lipton Onion Soup2 oz.	.79	1.29	1.29	1.29
CORNED BEEF				
Armour Hash15.5 oz.	.99	1.39	1.39	1.39
BEEF				
Franco-American Gravy...10.25 oz.	.50	1.09	.89	.99
FRANCO AMERICAN				
Spaghettios.....15 oz.	.59	.89	.89	.95
Sunsweet Prune Juice32 oz.	.99	1.79	1.79	1.79
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Cranberry Sauce.....16 oz.	.79	1.19	1.09	1.09
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Refried Beans16 oz.	.79	1.19	1.19	1.09
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Folger's Coffee39 oz.	7.99	8.99	8.99	8.99
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Heifetz Pickles32 oz.	1.99	2.99	2.99	2.99
WHITE				
Heinz Vinegar32 oz.	.99	1.29	1.29	1.29
Jif Peanut Butter.....18 oz.	1.89	2.49	2.49	2.49
Kellogg's Raisin Bran.....25.5 oz.	2.99	3.79	3.79	3.79
PURE VEGETABLE				
Wesson Oil.....48 oz.	1.99	3.59	3.39	3.59
Jiffy Baking Mix.....40 oz.	.99	1.69	1.69	1.59
Green Giant Asparagus.....15 oz.	1.69	2.29	2.19	2.29
42 USE, ULTRA ALL				
Laundry Detergent.....110 oz.	3.99	6.49	6.49	6.49
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S.O.S. Pads.....4 ct.	.49	.79	.69	.79
ALUMINUM				
Reynolds Wrap25 ft.	.79	1.09	1.09	1.09
SOFT & GENTLE				
Bath Tissue.....4 roll	.79	1.19	.99	1.09
REGULAR				
Always Thin Maxi Pads24 ct.	2.50	3.29	2.97	3.29
DOUBLE FUDGE				
Snackwells Cookies6.25 oz.	1.97	2.29	2.29	2.29
PLASTIC				
Musselman Apple Juice128 oz.	3.97	4.69	4.69	4.69

MEAT & PRODUCE

	Shop 'n Save	Schnucks	Dierbergs	National
Radishes1 lb. bag	.98	1.49	1.49	1.28
Whole Fryersper pound	.79	.89	.99	.99
Boneless Chuck Roast...per pound	2.49	2.89	2.89	2.79
JUMBO				
Eckrich Franks1 lb.	1.99	2.99	2.99	2.49
ALL MEAT				
Hygrade Franks1 lb.	1.29	1.59	1.59	1.59
R.B. RICE				
Pork Sausage.....1 lb.	2.49	2.99	2.99	2.99
BROWN & SERVE				
Swift Sausage Links.....8 oz.	1.29	1.59	1.79	1.50
Tyson Chicken Chunks10.5 oz.	2.99	3.39	3.39	3.39

DAIRY AND FROZEN FOOD

	Shop 'n Save	Schnucks	Dierbergs	National
Cool Whip.....8 oz.	1.37	1.59	1.55	1.59
CHEESE WHIZ, LIGHT				
Cheese Spread.....16 oz.	2.99	3.59	3.55	3.59
BLUEBERRY				
Eggo Waffles11 oz.	1.59	1.99	1.89	1.99
PILLSBURY				
Cinnamon Rolls.....11.5 oz.	1.29	1.99	1.95	1.89
CHICKEN				
Swanson Pot Pie8 oz.	.79	.99	.99	.99
FROZEN				
Minute Maid Lemonade12 oz.	.99	1.39	1.19	1.39
Eskimo Pies6 pack	1.99	2.99	2.99	2.99
GREEN GIANT, NIBBLERS				
Corn On The Cob6 ear	.99	1.79	1.69	1.69
Patio Burritos5 oz.	.34	.59	.55	.59
Totinos Pizza Rolls22.5 oz.	2.99	3.89	3.79	3.89
STRAWBERRY				
Sara Lee Cheese Cake.....26 oz.	4.19	5.19	4.99	4.99
Pet Cream Pie14 oz.	.99	1.79	1.49	1.29

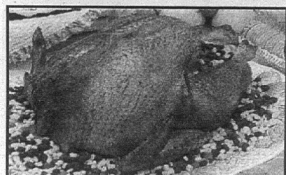
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Tennessee Pride Pork Sausage.... **2.19**
1-LB. ROLL



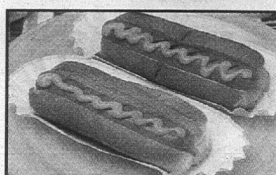
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lb.

PATTIES, CHUNKS OR TENDERS
Tyson Boneless Chicken..... **2/\$5**
9-10.5 OZ. PKG.

ALL VARIETIES
Hillshire Smoked Sausage..... **2.19**
1-LB. PKG.

CHUNK
Kahns Braunschweiger..... **2/\$3**
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REGULAR OR CHEESE
Louis Rich Turkey Franks

99¢
1-LB. PKG.

SLICED
Hunter Bologna..... **1.29**
1-LB. PKG.

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Oscar Mayer Pork Sausage..... **2.89**
lb.

Oscar Mayer Cotto Salami..... **2/\$3**
1-LB. PKG.



Louis Rich Turkey Bacon

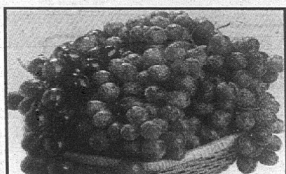
2/\$4
12-OZ. PKG.

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Oscar Mayer Bologna..... **2/\$3**
1-LB. PKG.

FUN PACK
Oscar Mayer Lunchables..... **2/\$4**
11.2-13.2 OZ. PKG.

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Pork Cutlets..... **1.99**
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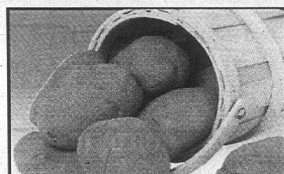
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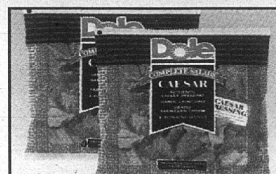
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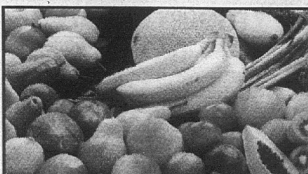
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Red Tomatoes.... **2.48**
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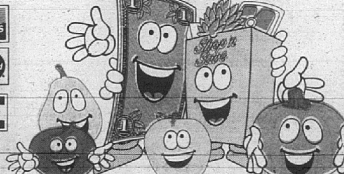


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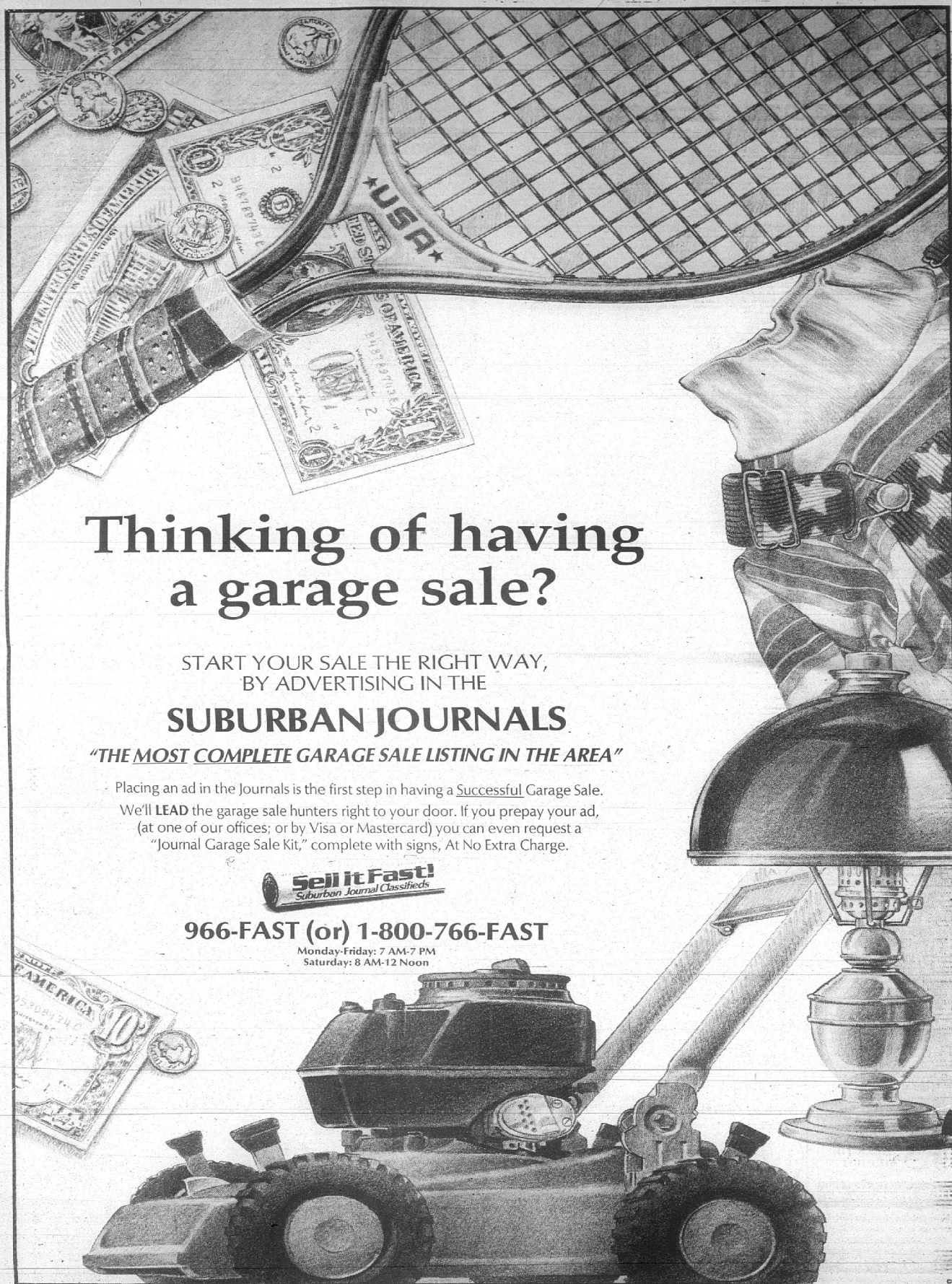
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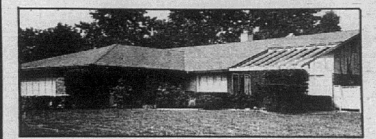
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3025 DUPLEXES FOR RENT

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2660 HOUSES FOR RENT

RENT MAJESTY. 1883 170 ROAD. 2400.00 MO. 1500.00 DEPOSIT. 685-3206. MUST FILL OUT APP.

2665 RENT TO OWN

2 BEDROOM. 2 BATH. TOWN. 1200 MONTH. 501 DEPOSIT. 452-7587.

2670 MOBILE/MFR'D HOMES FOR RENT

2 BEDROOM. 2 BATH. TOWN. 1200 MONTH. 501 DEPOSIT. 452-7587.

2675 DUPLEXES FOR RENT

1 BR. PRIVATE YARD. W/D hookups. Call 344-5338.

2685 DUPLEXES FOR RENT

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